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Constituting the Town District of Mangapapa, in the County of Cook.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the Town Boards Act, 1908, that the Governor may declare that any locality outside a borough wherein there are not less than fifty householders shall be a town district:

And whereas a petition was presented to the Governor by the inhabitants within the area mentioned in such petition, praying that such area in the County of Cook might be constituted a town district under the Town Boards Act, 1908:

And whereas a Commission was appointed under the Town Boards Amendment Act, 1912, to hold an inquiry and make a report as to the suitability or otherwise for municipal control of the said area, and to make such alterations of the boundaries thereof as they deemed advisable: And whereas the Commission so appointed made certain alterations in the boundaries of the area mentioned in such petition, and reported that the area as so altered and described in the Schedule hereto is suitable for municipal control:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the Town Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area described as aforesaid in the Schedule hereto shall be a town district, and the same is hereby constituted a town district, under the Town Boards Act, 1908, by the name of the Mangapapa Town District. And, in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers, I do hereby proclaim, declare, and appoint that the Board of Commissioners for the said district shall consist of seven members.

SCHEDULE.

MANGAPAPA TOWN DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District bounded by a line commencing at the northernmost corner of Whataupoko No. 3 Block; thence along the north-eastern boundary of the said Whataupoko No. 3 Block and the north-eastern

and south-eastern boundaries of Whataupoko No. 4 Block to the Borough of Gisborne; thence along the north-western and northern boundaries of that borough to the Taruheru River, and along the left bank of that river to Allotment No. 10, Hapara; thence along the eastern boundary of that allotment to its north-eastern corner; thence across a road to the south-eastern corner of Allotment No. 31, Halstead, and along the eastern boundary of that allotment to its north-eastern corner; thence along the northern boundary of Allotment No. 32, the abutment of a road, and the northern boundary of Allotment No. 33, Halstead, to Lytton Road; thence along the western side of that road to Ormond Road; thence along a right line bearing 37° 58' to the north-eastern side of Matokitoki Road, and along the north-eastern side of that road to the south-eastern boundary of Whataupoko No. 5 Block; and thence along the south-eastern boundary of that block to the place of commencement.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in con-

ERRATA.—In the Proclamation stopping a Government Road in Block VII, Wai-iti Survey District, published in *Gazette*, No. 14, page 639, of 26th February, 1914, for "January" read "February."
On page 661 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, dated February 26th, 1914, Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, in schedule, boroughs, delete "Devonport, Wednesday."

nection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Lamb Valley Block (7,150 Acres).

Area.			Section	Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A.	R.	P.					
571	0	0	5	VII	Hope	L. and S. V/2	Red.
938	0	0	6	"			
1,047	0	0	8	"			
804	0	0	9	"			
1,173	0	0	10	"			
1,217	0	0	1	VIII			
1,400	0	0	2	"			

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in connection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Omona Block (5,370 Acres).

Area.			Section	Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A.	R.	P.					
785	0	0	5	VII	Omona	L. and S. 4493	Red.
488	0	0	11	"			
312	0	0	12	"			
1,755	0	0	13	"			
760	0	0	5	VIII			
1,270	0	0	6	"			

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of

Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in connection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Pareokawa Additional Block (5,350 Acres).

Area.			Section	Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A.	R.	P.					
296	0	0	2	X	Whangape	L. & S. 47636	Red.
336	0	0	3	"			
230	0	0	8	"			
302	0	0	9	"			
287	0	0	10	"			
267	0	0	11	"			
253	0	0	12	"			
312	0	0	13	"			
288	0	0	14	"			
246	0	0	15	"			
314	0	0	1	VIII			
291	0	0	2	"			
259	0	0	17	"			
284	0	0	18	"			
170	0	0	19	"			
277	0	0	20	"			
309	0	0	21	"			
288	0	0	22	"			
233	0	0	23	"			
108	0	0	24	"			

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in connection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.
Pukenawa Block (384 Acres).

Area.	Section	Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A. R. P. 384 0 0	15	I	Hautapu ..	L. 4495	Red.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Longwood Survey District, Southland Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the Wallace County Council, being the local authority in whose district the lands described in the First Schedule hereto are situated, proclaim as a road the Crown lands described in the said Schedule; and also do hereby, with the like consent as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 1.2	Section 96	II	Longwood..	L. & S. 1913/1635	Red.
1 0 30.7	Crown land	"	" ..	Ditto ..	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or Passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 8	Section 96 ..	II	Longwood..	L. & S. 1913/1635	Green.
0 2 17	Crown land..	"	" ..	Ditto ..	"

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land set apart as a Scenic Reserve under the Land Act, 1892, to be subject to the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was by Warrant dated the twentieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, permanently set apart as a reserve for scenic purposes under the provisions of the Land Act, 1892: And whereas it is expedient that the said land should be declared a reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, from and after the date hereof, be a scenic reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 2 roods 35 perches, more or less, being Section 32, Mangaweka South Village Settlement. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 33, 1077.9 links; towards the north-east by Tuna Road, 848 links; towards the south-east by the top of a cliff forming the western boundary of Section 50, Block X, Hautapu Survey District; and towards the south-west by Powhakarua No. 1 Native Block, 740 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 321/39B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Hastings taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Wellington-Napier Railway to take further land at Hastings, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District	Situated in Borough of
A. R. P. 0 1 2	Lot 2, Sub. D, Heretaunga Block	XV	Heretaunga	Hastings.
0 0 9.5	Ditto .. (S.O. 434, green)	"	"	"

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21170, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road at Hastings.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Borough of Hastings, the local authority of which has assented to the issue of this Proclamation:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor is of opinion that the said local authority can conveniently construct and maintain the said road:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Hastings Borough Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in Borough of
A. R. P. 0 2 32.6	Railway reserve (S.O. 415, green)	XV	Heretaunga	Hastings.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20597, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block V, Waiawa Survey District, Opotiki County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Opotiki County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waiawa Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 7.7	270, Waioeke Parish	V	Waiawa	P.W.D. 34739	Purple.
2 3 31.3	284, Waioeke Parish (17076, blue.)	"	"	Ditto..	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 19	270, 284, Waioeke Parish	V	Waiawa ..	P.W.D. 34739	Green.
0 0 32.4						271, 284, Waioeke Parish (17076, blue.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block IX, Maungaharuru Survey District, Hawke's Bay County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Hawke's Bay County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Maungaharuru Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 12 1 3	Taupo Road, Rural Sections 31 and 32 (Hawke's Bay R.D.)	IX	Maungaharuru	P.W.D. 35087	Pink.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road and Gravel-pit in Block VIII, Te Kawanu Survey District, Manawatu County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purposes of a road and gravel-pit in Block VIII, Te Kawanu Survey District, Manawatu County: And whereas an agreement has been entered into with the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto to take such land for the purposes of a road and gravel-pit:

And whereas the Manawatu County Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, together with a map in duplicate, as required by the Public Works Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, the Counties Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land firstly described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road, and shall vest in His Majesty the King, and that the land secondly described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a gravel-pit, and shall vest in the Corporation of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Manawatu; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
FOR ROAD.					
A. R. P. 0 1 31	Lot 11 on D.P. 514 (Pt. Orig. Sec. 384)	Township of Carnarvon.	VIII	Te Kawanu	P.W.D. 35070
2 3 33.5	Lot 12 on D.P. 514 (Pt. Orig. Sec. 384)				
3 0 23.8	Section 347 ..				
FOR GRAVEL-PIT.					
2 3 26	Section 347, Township of Carnarvon	VIII	Te Kawanu	P.W.D. 35070	Edged green.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block II, Hunua Survey District, Kaitieke County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block II, Hunua Survey District:

And whereas the Manunui Town Board has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 5.6	Manunui Domain, being portion of Section 15, Manunui Village Settlement	II	Hunua	P. W. D. 34504	Blue.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister

of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Napier Northwards, Eskdale Section), and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

[L.S.]

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Napier Northwards, Eskdale Section), and for road-diversions in connection therewith:

And whereas all the conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinbefore specified have been observed and performed:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road-diversions in connection therewith as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being the Whole or Portion of	Sheet No. of Plan	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P. 0 1 34	Lot 1, D.P. 967, Ahuriri Lagoon Reserve..	1	IV	Heretaunga	Pink.
0 0 26.5	Lot 3, D.P. 2531, part Section 85, Western Spit, Port Ahuriri	1	"	"	Blue.
2 0 22	Ahuriri Lagoon Reserve	1	"	"	Red.
0 1 0	Section 90, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 91, " " " "	1	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 92, " " " "	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 93, " " " "	1	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 94, " " " "	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 95, " " " "	1	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 96, " " " "	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 97, " " " "	1	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 98, " " " "	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 99, " " " "	1	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 100, " " " "	1	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 101, " " " "	2	"	"	Pink.
0 1 4.9	Closed road	2	"	"	Green.
0 1 0	Section 102, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	2	"	"	Blue.
0 1 0	" 103, " " " "	2	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	" 104, " " " "	2	"	"	Blue.
0 0 26.7	Lot 3, D.P. 2127, part Section 105, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	2	"	"	Pink.
0 0 26.6	Lot 2, D.P. 2127, part Sections 105 and 106, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	2	"	"	Blue.
0 0 26.67	Lot 1, D.P. 2127, part Section 106, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	2	"	"	Pink.
0 1 0	Section 107, Westshore, Western Spit, Napier	2	"	"	Blue.
0 0 23.8	Closed road	2	"	"	Green.
0 2 14	Crown land	2	"	"	Red.
8 3 31	"	2, 3	IV XVI XVI	Heretaunga Puketapu Puketapu	Red. Green.
0 3 34.7	Closed road	3	"	"	Green.
0 1 30.4	"	3	"	"	"
0 0 14.2	Section 1 (beacon reserve)	3	"	"	Blue.
2 1 22.3	Crown land	3	"	"	Pink.
4 1 39.7	"	3, 4	"	"	"
0 2 31.4	Lots 1 and 2, D.P. 2283, part Te Pahou Block	4	"	"	Blue.
0 1 24.2	" 3 and 4, " " " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32.1	Lot 5, " " " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 2 23	Lots 6, 7, 8 " " " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 2 2.9	" 19 to 22, D.P. 2849, " " " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 1 17.6	Lot 18, " " " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 25	" 17, " " " "	4	"	"	Blue.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Sheet No. of Plan.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 2 5	Lots 16 and 15, D.P. 2349, part Te Pahou Block	4	XVI	Puketapu	Pink.
0 2 35.5	" 14 and 13, "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32.4	Lot 12, "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 16	" 24, Undep. Plan 1736, "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 16	" 23, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 16	" 22, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 16	" 21, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 16	" 20, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 16	" 19, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 16.3	" 18, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 17.2	" 17, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 18.1	" 16, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 19.1	" 15, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 18.7	" 14, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 18	" 13, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 33.4	" 21, D.P. 2283, "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 22, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 23, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 24, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 25, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 26, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 27, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 28, " "	4	"	"	Pink.
0 1 8	" 29, " "	4	"	"	Blue.
0 0 16	" 5, Undep. Plan 2022, part Te Pahou Block	5	"	"	"
0 1 20.8	" 6, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 1 26.2	Lots 31 and 34, D.P. 2283, "	5	"	"	Yellow.
0 0 32	Lot 35, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 36, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 37, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 38, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 39, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 40, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 41, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 42, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 43, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 0 32	" 44, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 0 32	" 45, " "	5	"	"	"
0 0 32	" 46, " "	5	"	"	"
0 0 32	" 47, " "	5	"	"	"
0 1 16.8	" 48, " "	5	"	"	"
0 1 30.7	" 49, " "	5	"	"	Pink.
1 3 3.3	" 33, " "	5	XII, XVI	"	Blue.
4 3 27.2	" 7, D.P. 1856, "	5	XII	"	Pink.
3 2 33.7	" 18, " "	5	"	"	Blue.
0 2 31.3	" 3, D.P. 2086, "	5	"	"	Pink.
0 3 15.7	" 1, being portion of land in D.P. 2316, part Te Pahou Block	6	"	"	Purple.
0 3 16	D.P. 2528, being part Lot 1, D.P. 2316, part Te Pahou Block	6	"	"	Blue.
0 2 28.5	Lot 1, D.P. 2316, part Te Pahou Block	6	"	"	Pink.
1 3 32.8	" 2, D.P. 2647, " and 20, D.P. 1856, and of a closed road	6	"	"	Blue.
5 2 19.2	" 1, D.P. 2647, and of Lots 1 and 2, D.P. 1856, part Te Pahou Block, and of a closed road	6, 7	"	"	Pink.
5 2 21.5	D.P. 2239, Blocks 1 and 2, Eskdale C.G.D.	7	"	"	Blue.
1 1 39.4	" Block 2, " "	7	"	"	"
0 0 19	Closed road	7	XII	"	Green.
0 0 28	" " " " " "	7	"	"	"
3 1 7	D.P. 2239, Block 2, Eskdale C.G.D.	7	"	"	Blue.
0 0 15.6	Closed road	7	"	"	Green.
FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.					
0 2 18.8	Crown land	2	IV	Heretaunga	Sepia.
0 3 8.2	" " " " " "	3	XVI	Puketapu	"
0 1 23.4	" " " " " "	3	"	"	"
0 0 10.3	Section 2 (stock reserve)	3	"	"	"
0 0 15.7	Block 2, Eskdale C.G.D.	7	XII	"	"
0 0 12	" 2, " " " " " "	7	"	"	"

All in the Land District of Hawke's Bay ; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32949, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

License authorizing the Wellington City Corporation to erect an Electric Line from the Trolley-wire on Davis Street to a Motor on the Wellington Harbour Board's Property near the Proposed Lambton Wharf.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that no person shall lay, construct, put up, place, or use any electric line except under the authority of a license issued to him by the Governor in Council under that Act :

And whereas the Wellington City Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "the said Corporation") desires to erect an electric line from the overhead wire on Davis Street to connect with a motor on the Wellington Harbour Board's property in the vicinity of that street (hereinafter referred to as "the said electric line"), and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred on him by the said section and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, hereby authorize the said Corporation to erect and maintain the said electric line for the purpose of supplying electricity to the aforesaid motor, such electric line being indicated by a red line on the plan marked P.W.D. 34370, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

SCHEDULE.

CONDITIONS.

1. THE conductors shall be at a minimum height of 20 ft. above the surface of the ground.
2. The conductors shall be composed of stranded copper or aluminium. The size of the strand shall be not less than No. 20 standard wire gauge, and the number of strands shall not be less than seven.
3. The positive conductor shall be insulated throughout its length with rubber covering of 600-megohm grade.
4. The negative conductor may be uninsulated.
5. A fuse cut-out shall be placed on the positive conductor where it leaves the tramway trolley-wire. A switch and a circuit-breaker fitted with an overload and no-load release shall be inserted in the positive conductor and placed near the motor.
6. The negative conductor shall be continuous throughout its length from the motor terminal to the tramway rail, to which it shall be effectively bonded.
7. The conductors shall be carried on substantial supports, which shall be designed to have a factor of safety of 5 under a wind-pressure of 30 lb. per square foot.
8. No work of any nature shall be erected or constructed upon, over, or under any part of the New Zealand Government Railways until the Corporation has obtained the consent of the Minister of Railways thereto, as required by Section 4 of the Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910 (No. 2).
9. Where the conductors cross telegraph or telephone wires, or if any telegraph or telephone wire is hereafter installed so as to cross the conductors, substantial guard-wires effectively earthed shall be erected by or at the cost of the said Corporation if deemed necessary by the Minister of Telegraphs. Such guard-wires shall consist of two stranded galvanized-steel wires carried on substantial supports at a height of 2 ft. above the conductors if the telegraph or telephone wires pass over the conductors, or 2 ft. above the telegraph or telephone wires if they pass under the conductors. Earth-wires where led down poles shall be protected by a casing for a distance of 8 ft. from the ground.
10. The construction of the works hereby authorized shall be substantially commenced on or before the 1st day of April, 1914, and shall be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1914.
11. The said Corporation shall, prior to the completion of the said works, give to the Minister of Public Works (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister") at least one month's notice in writing of the estimated date of such completion.

12. The said Corporation shall not use the said electric line or permit the same to be used, for any purpose until the Minister has given notice in writing to the Corporation that he has received from the Engineer appointed by him to inspect the work a certificate that it has been satisfactorily carried out.

13. The said electric line, including the supports, the conductors, and the insulated covering, shall be duly and efficiently supervised and maintained by the said Corporation as regards both electrical and mechanical conditions, and shall not be permitted by the said Corporation to remain erected after it has ceased to be used for the supply of electricity.

14. This license, and the benefits and obligations hereunder, shall not be assigned by the said Corporation without the express consent in writing of the Minister first had and obtained; but such consent shall not be withheld if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Minister that the transferee is financially and otherwise able to carry out the obligations specified in this license.

15. If the said Corporation fails to comply with any of the conditions of this license the Minister may, by notice in writing, require the Corporation within thirty days to remedy the default specified in that notice, and if the said Corporation fails to comply with the terms of the notice within the said period, it shall be liable to a penalty of £10, to be recoverable by or on behalf of the Minister as a debt due to the Crown.

16. Notwithstanding anything in the last preceding clause of these conditions, if the said Corporation fails to comply with the terms of any such notice for ninety days after the receipt thereof, the Governor in Council may thereupon revoke this license without further notice.

17. For the purpose of ascertaining whether the conditions of this license are being faithfully complied with by the said Corporation, the Minister, or any person appointed by him in that behalf, may at all reasonable times enter on the lands and works and inspect the same.

18. Nothing in this license shall be deemed in any way to interfere with, affect, or abridge any rights or powers vested in His Majesty the King, or in the Governor on his behalf, authorizing the construction, management, or working of any public works, nor shall any compensation be payable to or on behalf of the said Corporation for injury done to the works herein authorized by the construction, management, or working of any such public work as aforesaid, or for the loss occasioned thereby, or for the exercise of any such right or power as aforesaid.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amendment of Regulations under the Education Act, 1908, regarding Audit of School Committees' Accounts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1908, and all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations in force relating to the audit of School Committees' accounts; and doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

THE regulations relating to audit of School Committees' accounts made by Order in Council dated the 2nd day of December, 1890, are hereby amended as follows:—

With respect to clause 3 thereof, by substituting for the word "March" the word "February"; and, with respect to clause 4 thereof, by substituting for the word "April" the word "March," and for the words "31st day of March" the words "last day of February."

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Apportionment of Representation and Election of Representatives on the Whangarei and Kaipara Hospital and Charitable Aid Boards.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Amendment Act, 1913, the Whangarei Hospital District and the Kaipara Hospital District were constituted :

And whereas by the said section sixteen it is further enacted that the Boards of the said hospital districts shall consist respectively of such number of representatives of the contributory districts within the said hospital districts as the Governor by Order in Council from time to time determines ; and that the first election of members of the said Boards shall be held on such day as the Governor by Order in Council appoints, and that the Governor may make all such provisions as are deemed necessary for the purpose of that election :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, doth hereby determine that the number of representatives of each of the contributory districts within the aforesaid hospital districts shall be as set forth in the Schedule hereto ; and the first election of such representatives shall be held on Friday, the third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen ; and that the principal contributory local authority of the combined district of Whangarei County, Hikurangi Town District, and Kamo Town District shall be the Whangarei County ; and doth hereby direct that the regulations made in the Order in Council dated the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and ten, shall as far as applicable apply as if incorporated in this Order in Council.

SCHEDULE.

Hospital District.	Contributory Districts.	No. of Representatives.
Whangarei	Whangarei County Hikurangi Town District	Combined District. 6
	Kamo Town District	
Kaipara	Whangarei Borough ..	2
	Hobson County ..	4
	Dargaville Borough ..	1
	Otamatea County ..	3

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto : And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and

consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 3 No. 1A, Sections 16, 17, and 15 (part)	50 0 0	Wellington.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto : And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Parewanui 25A	2 2 24	Wellington.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto : And

whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Mangatipona West E No. 1	A. R. P. 105 3 26	Wellington.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Pahautanui Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and four, certain powers were delegated to the Pahautanui Domain Board for a period of ten years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen:

And whereas it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the domain:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

ALFRED IGGULDEN,
HAROLD RICHARD TREGURTHA,
NICHOLAS ABBOTT,
DAVID GARDNER,
FREDERICK BRADLEY, and
WILLIAM GALLOWAY

to be the Pahautanui Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Pahautanui Hall, Pahautanui, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

PAHAUTANUI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 105 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 115, Block IX, Paekakariki Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by Sections Nos. 90 and 68; towards the east generally by Sections Nos. 68 aforesaid, 67, 65, and 64, across the Pahautanui River, and by Section No. 63; towards the south generally by Sections Nos. 7 and 116 and a public road to a point distant 50475.4 links south and 28517.1 links west of trig. station, Wainui, in the said Paekakariki Survey District (the said north, east, and south boundaries generally, with the exception of the aforesaid Section No. 116, being the old high-water line prior

to the year 1855); and thence towards the north-west by a right line bearing north 8° 16' east to Section No. 90 aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. & S. 1369/27A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Pakiri Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be the Domain Board having, subject to the said Act, control of any public domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven, powers were delegated to the Pakiri Domain Board in respect of the Pakiri Domain for a period of seven years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen:

And whereas it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the said domain:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

THE RODNEY COUNTY COUNCIL

to be the Pakiri Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint the day of one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at eleven o'clock a.m., as the time when, and the County Council Chambers, Warkworth, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

PAKIRI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 8 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 28A, Pakiri Parish. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 151.1, 506.1, 406.5, and 466.7 links; towards the south and west generally by the Pakiri River; and towards the north-west by a public road, 67 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/176, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 5180. blue).

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Empowering Maori Land Board to dispose of Land by way of Sale and Lease under the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council bearing date the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, the block or parcel of land named in the Schedule hereto

was declared to be subject to Part I of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, and which by section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, becomes subject to Part XIV of that Act:

And whereas by subsection three of section two hundred and thirty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained in this section, the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Board in whose district the land is situated, in any case in which he is of opinion that an equal division of that land in manner aforesaid would be impracticable or inexpedient in the public interest or in the interests of the owners, authorize the division of that land in any other proportion, or authorize the whole of that land to be disposed of either by sale or lease:

And whereas the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board has recommended that it is expedient that the whole of the land set out in the Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of sale:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby authorize the whole of the said land set out in the Schedule hereto to be disposed of by way of sale; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Approximate Area.			Survey District.
	A.	R.	P.	
Mohakatino-Parinihi 1c West No. 2	5,927	0	0	Tainui & Mimi.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Borough of Cambridge, Auckland Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the public reserve described in the Schedule hereto is vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Cambridge, in trust, as a site for cattle-yards:

And whereas the said reserve is set apart for one of the purposes named in Class I of the Second Schedule to the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and in the opinion of the Governor it is expedient to change the purpose of the said reserve to another of the purposes named in the said Class I, as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the purpose of the public reserve mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby changed from a site for cattle-yards to a reserve for water-supply and gasworks purposes; and, by and with the like advice and consent, doth hereby declare that the said reserve shall become and the same is hereby vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Cambridge, in trust, for water-supply and gasworks purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Lot No. 571 of the Town of Cambridge East. Bounded towards the north by Lot No. 570 of the Town of Cambridge East, 500 links;

towards the east by Hall Street, 200 links; towards the south by Lot No. 572 of the aforesaid town, 500 links; and towards the west by Lot. No. 564 of the aforesaid town, 200 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/1201, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 127, blue.)

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Setting apart Land under the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by section three of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby set apart the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 2 roods, more or less, being part of reserve numbered 2549, situate in the Borough of Waimate, and bounded towards the north by that part of the said reserve which has been taken for railway purposes, 1043.1 links; towards the east by Reserve No. 2472, 820.9 links; towards the south by Crown lands and the Waimate Creek; towards the west by the Gorge Road, 1466.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: save and excepting thereout a road-line 1 chain wide which is included in the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19432/83, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Cancelling the Reservation over a Primary Education Endowment in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section twenty-nine of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies' Empowering Act, 1913, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby cancel the reservation for purposes of primary education over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 4.8 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 338, 339, 340, and 341, and part of Section No. 426, Town of Clyde (Borough of Wairoa). Bounded towards the north by Town Sections Nos. 423, 424, and 425, for a distance of 300 links; towards the west by the last-mentioned Section No. 425, for a distance of 250 links; again towards the north by Marine Parade, for a distance of 12 links; towards the east by part of Town Section No. 426, for a distance of 250 links; again towards the north by the said part of Town Section No. 426, for a distance of 88 links; again towards the east by Town Section No. 337, for a distance of 250 links; towards the south by Queen Street, for a distance of 400 links; and again towards the west by

Town Section No. 342, for a distance of 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1911/713, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Declaring Road-lines through Land in the Hillersden Settlement to be closed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General from which it appears that the roads described in the Schedule hereto are unformed and unused, and that the said roads intersect land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and are not suitable to the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of section eighty of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the roads hereinafter described, and I do hereby declare that the said roads shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

HILLERSDEN SETTLEMENT.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Fronting Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 53 0 0	9, 7, 8, Sq. 33 11, Sq. 33 .. 12, 13, Sq. 33 2, 30, 31, 32, 33	VIII VII XII	Mt. Olympus	L. & S. 19277	Green.
	1 92	XI VI			
3 2 21	Part 3 (Block I. Wairau Valley) 10, 8	VII	Ditto ..	Ditto	"
	Closed road .. 7	XVII			
11 2 0		"	" ..	"	"
4 3 0	19, Sq. 33 ..	XV	" ..	"	"

All in the Marlborough Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Declaring a Road-line through Land in the Springhill Settlement, Hawke's Bay Land District, to be closed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General from which it appears that the road described in the Schedule hereto is unformed and unused, and that the said road intersects land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and is not suitable to the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand,

in pursuance and exercise of section eighty of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the road hereinafter described, and I do hereby declare that the said road shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

SPRINGHILL SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less, being a road passing through Section 119, Block III, Ruataniwha Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by part Section 119, Block III, Ruataniwha Survey District, 4500 links; towards the south by a road-line, 124-5 links; towards the south-west by other part of Section 119 aforesaid, 4360 links; and towards the north-west by the Waipawa River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19462, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Powers delegated to the Orari Gorge Scenic Board under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule below (being land reserved under the said Act), for the period of three years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely,—

ARTHUR JOHN BLAKISTON,
WILLIAM MCLEOD,
JAMES BURT,
ROBERT YATES, and
WILLIAM ALEXANDER HEWSON,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Orari Gorge Scenic Board (herein referred to as "the Board"), in trust for the preservation of scenery, and with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say:—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business in the Tripp Schoolhouse, at 7 p.m., on the first Saturday in every month, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held during the month of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

2. The members of the Board shall at their first meeting, and thereafter at the annual meeting hereinafter mentioned, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of such meeting is given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

4. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity or otherwise, the seat of any member shall be or become vacant, or if any member absents himself, without reasonable cause, from three consecutive meetings of the Board, the Governor shall have power to appoint any other person to be a member of the Board in his stead.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

ORARI GORGE SCENIC RESERVE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 197 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Reserve 3811, Block XII, Four Peaks Survey District. Bounded towards the east generally by a road-line and Lot 4, Tripp Settlement; towards the south by the road forming the northern boundary of Lot 5, Tripp Settlement, and Rural Section 3968, and by Lot 23, Tripp Settlement; towards the west by Lot 23 aforesaid; and towards the north by Station Creek: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 387/22 deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Land temporarily reserved as a Site for a Public School in Block XII, Mapara Survey District, Taranaki Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Taranaki Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as a site for a public school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section 23, Block XII, Mapara Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 1, Block XII, Mapara Survey District, 800 links; towards the south-east by Section 2, Block XII aforesaid, 612-3 links; towards the south by the Mangaiti Road, 733-3 links; and towards the north-west by Section 1 aforesaid, 800 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 1914/19, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

And whereas by the three-hundred-and-twenty-second section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said three-hundred-and-twenty-first section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the Gazette of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the Gazette:

And whereas by the sixty-ninth section of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, it is further provided that the Governor may from time to time, as he thinks fit, set aside reserves for any specified public purpose out of land acquired under the last-mentioned Act, provided that no land so acquired shall be set aside for endowments:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the Warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the Gazettes specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Acts for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Acts, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Auckland ..	Tuhua S.D.* ..	3	I	A. R. P. 77 2 0	Public recreation-ground	1913. 23 Dec.	No. 1, 15 Jan.
" ..	" ..	4	"	22 2 0	Ditto	23 " 1914.	" "
" ..	Tatarariki Parish ..	Allotment 41A	"	5 0 0	Site for a public school	10 Jan.	No. 4, 23 Jan.
" ..	Otanake S.D.* ..	Part 1	"	2 0 0	Site for a " public hos-	10 "	" "
" ..	Paeroa Town ..	11, 12, 13, and 14	II	0 1 20	pital	10 "	" "
" ..	Orahi S.D.* ..	15	VIII	0 3 33	Site for a public pound	14 "	" "
" ..	Teasdale Settlement	5	"	1 1 2	Public recreation ..	14 "	" "
Hawke's Bay	Havelock North Town	52	"	2 0 0	Sewage and landing purposes	10 "	" "
Marlborough	Riley's Lookout and Pinnacle Rock Islands	"	"	"	Preservation of native fauna	14 "	" "

* Survey district.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Saturday, the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—TOWN OF BUCKLEY.

Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	VI	0	1	0	75	0	0
2	"	0	1	0	100	0	0
3	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
4	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
5	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
6	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
7	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
8	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
9	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
10	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
11	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
12	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
13	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
14	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
15	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
16	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
17	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
18	"	0	1	0	80	0	0
19	"	0	1	0	100	0	0
6	IX	0	1	0	50	0	0
7	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
8	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
9	"	0	1	0	50	0	0
10	"	0	1	0	50	0	0

Sections 1 to 19, Block VI, all good, flat business-sites, situated in the centre of the town, and on the main road.

Sections 6 to 10, Block IX, consist of flat land in grass, and are good building-sites.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Hawke's Bay Land District for other Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-two of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of the said Act in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land which in his opinion is of approximately equal value:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the land described in the Second Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF CROWN LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 11 perches, more or less, being

Clive Suburban Section 3, Block III, Clive Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Tukituki River; towards the north-east by Clive Suburban Section 4 for a distance of 356.9 links; towards the south-east by a closed road for a distance of 510 links; and towards the south-west by a public road for a distance of 13 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XXII/23, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 25.5 perches, more or less, being Clive Suburban Section 4 and part of closed road, Block III, Clive Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Tukituki River; towards the north-east generally by Sections 7, 6, and 5 for a distance of 560 links, and by closed road for distances of 7.5 and 20 links; towards the south-east by a closed road and the abutment of a public road for a distance of 190 links; and towards the south-west by a closed road and Clive Suburban Section 3 for a distance of 416.9 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XXII/23, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Owaka Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HUGH BALLINTYNE

to be a Trustee, in the place of John Craig, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Owaka Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Robert McLean, Alexander Clark Saunders, Thomas Barr, and Alexander Adam, jun., previously appointed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Oamaru Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

JAMES BURTON EUSTACE GRAVE

to be a Trustee, in the place of John Cagney, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Oamaru Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Allan Hedley, Willoughby Crichton McDouall, Richard Penfold, Andrew Fraser, and Samuel Michael Harding Grenfell, previously appointed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Financial Instructions and Allowance Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces revoked and others substituted.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the Defence Act, 1909, and its amendments, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool,

the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby evoke Section XII of the regulations made on the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 22 of the thirteenth day of March of the same year, and in lieu thereof do hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby declare that such revocation shall take effect and such regulations shall come into force on the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SCHEDULE.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Sick-leave, New Zealand Staff Corps, Royal New Zealand Artillery and New Zealand Permanent Staff.

281. ABSENCE from duty on account of sickness or injury, whether the absentee be in hospital or otherwise, shall be considered leave of absence within the meaning of these regulations.

282. All applications for sick-leave will be supported by the recommendation of a medical officer.

283. An O.C. District may grant sick-leave in accordance with the following schedule, and will render a monthly return to Headquarters of all such leave granted:—

Length of Service.	Period for which Leave may be granted.	
	On Full Pay.	On Half-pay.
Under 5 years	1 month ..	2 months.
Over 5 years and under 10	2 months..	1 month.
Over 10 years	3 ..	"

In exceptional cases the G.O.C. may take any special circumstances into consideration and vary the scale of payments.

284. In the event of an officer, N.C.O., or man being unable to resume his duties at the expiration of three months' leave, further periods of leave in accordance with the following schedule may be provisionally granted by the General Officer Commanding, upon the recommendation of a Medical Board to which the applicant must submit before any extension can be considered:—

Length of Service.	Period for which Leave may be granted.		
	On Half-pay.	On Third-pay.	Without Pay.
Under 5 years	1 month ..	6 months..	8 months.
Over 5 years and under 10	3 months..	6	6 ..
Over 10 years	6	3	6 ..

In exceptional cases special circumstances may be taken into consideration—*e.g.*, where injury is sustained in discharge of duty and is of such a nature as to incapacitate him for all duty this scale may be varied. The period necessary for the recovery of health will be stated in the proceedings of a Medical Board held under this regulation.

285. An officer, N.C.O., or man who has been continuously absent on sick-leave for more than three months will not be permitted to return to duty until he has been passed as fit to resume work by a Medical Board.

286. Sick-leave allowed under these regulations may be granted in one or more periods, but the aggregate amount of leave provided for in the schedules is intended to cover a period of three years dating from the first absence on sick-leave.

287. The second or any subsequent triennial period will commence on the date of the first absence on sick-leave following the date upon which the previous triennial period expired; and for the three years thus commencing the full amount of leave provided in the schedules according to length of service may again be allowed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Trustees of Tumu-Kaituna Drainage District appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of section 10 of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, to appoint

JAMES DUDSON,
HENRY ALBERT VERCOE,
JAMES PATERSON,
CHARLES RUSSELL VERCOE, and
CHARLES FITZGERALD TUTHILL

to be Trustees of the Tumu-Kaituna Drainage District.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Members of Torere Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 4th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

GEORGE JAMES ALLEN,
MONTAGUE GOLDSBURY,
ALFRED COLLARD, and
ALFRED JAMES ISDALE

to be members of the Torere Domain Board, in the place of David Wilkie, David Wilkie, jun., David McCracken, and Frederick William Beechey.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Riccarton Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 4th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

GRANVILLE EDWARD CURRIE

to be a member of the Riccarton Domain Board, in the place of Ronald Ogilvie Duncan, resigned.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Nelson Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 7th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CHARLES BAIGENT

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Nelson.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable CHARLES ALFRED EDWIN SNOW

to be an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointment is dated the 4th March, 1914.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Commissioner appointed under the Christchurch Domains Amendment Act, 1913.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 10 of the Christchurch Domains Amendment Act, 1913, has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES ROBERT POLLEN

to be a Commissioner to enquire and report what portions of the Provincial District of Canterbury should be included in the Christchurch Domains District, and what portion of the cost of improvement and maintenance of the domains shall be provided by each of the contributory local authorities for the financial year ending 31st March, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM SWALE

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Awarua, vice J. Hamilton, resigned.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Chairman of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 6th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LEONARD GREENWELL REID, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Oroua, Palmerston, and Otaki, vice J. W. Poynton, Esq., S.M.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Visiting Justices to H.M. Prisons appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HELYAR WEDDERBURN BISHOP, Esq., S.M.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at Lyttelton; and

JAMES ERSKINE WATSON, Esq., J.P.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at Invercargill.

F. M. B. FISHER,
For Minister of Justice.

Resignation of Deputy Resident Officer appointed under the Rotorua Town Act, 1907.

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,
Wellington, 3rd March, 1914.

IT is hereby notified for public information that, in accordance with the regulations made under the Rotorua Town Act, 1907,

WALTER RUSSELL BLOW, Esq.,

has tendered his resignation as Deputy Resident Officer at Rotorua, the resignation to take effect as from the 29th January, 1914.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Tourist and Health Resorts.

Appointment of Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Name.	District.	Position.	Date of Appointment.
Absolum, Abraham ..	Matamata ..	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages	1 April, 1914.
Barlow, Beauchamp Urquhart	Morrinsville ..	" " "	1 " "
Cave, Ernest White ..	Greymouth ..	" " "	16 February, "
McKay, Janie Monica ..	Black's ..	" " "	25 " "
Saywell, Frederick Montgomery	Halcombe ..	" " "	21 " "
Taylor, George Robert ..	Coromandel ..	" " "	2 March, "

Appointment of a Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 11th March, 1914.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

ROBERT MACGREGOR GOLDSMAN,

to be a Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court at Wellington, as from the 6th January, 1914.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c, appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1914.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz.:—

Name.	District.
CHARLES KRIPPNER EDWARDS ..	Te Awamutu.
THOMAS PURCELL	Taihape.
ARTHUR BICE	Rangiora.
ROBERT MARTIN	Kawa Kawa.
JOHN HAYMAN LYNCH ..	Tirau.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 4th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to

Lieutenant MICHAEL MARR, Retired List (late Lieutenant, Active List, Unattached),

he having a total service to the 1st June, 1905, entitling him thereto, of twenty-one years and ninety-seven days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Acceptance of Services of a Defence Rifle Club.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th February, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under section 43 (1) and (2) of the Defence Act, 1909, the services of

THE NGARUAWAHIA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,

with Headquarters at Ngauruawahia, Auckland Military District.

Date of acceptance, 28th February, 1914.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization, under the Aliens Act, 1908, in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Belich, Mark ..	Labourer ..	Maropiu.
Buljan, Marko ..	" ..	Waipapakauri.
Burkhardt, Eugene Albert	" ..	Kaihu.
Franulich, Jakov ..	" ..	Te Kopuru.
Kasielke, Max Bruno	Dredger ..	Nevis.
Marsich, Ivan Mate ..	Labourer ..	Maropiu.
Matesich, Vencel ..	Gum-digger ..	Tikinui.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Honours conferred by His Majesty.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been informed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies of the appointments by His Majesty of

The Honourable WILLIAM FERGUSON MASSEY, and
Sir JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS, K.C.M.G.,
as members of the Privy Council; and of

Sir CHARLES CHRISTOPHER BOWEN, Kt.,
as Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George; and

JOHN SHAND, Esquire, M.A., LL.D.,
as a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint
Michael and Saint George.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Examination-shed appointed.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by the Customs Law Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, Francis Marion Bates Fisher, Minister of Customs, do hereby appoint that the undermentioned building at the Port of Auckland shall be a place where goods may be deposited for examination on the landing thereof, namely:—

Wharf shed No. 7, situated on the northern wharf.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 28th day of February, 1914.

F. M. B. FISHER,
Minister of Customs

Minister's Order No. 1075.]

*Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for
Henry Martindale and Scott and Martindale, Wellington.*

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person and firm whose names and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder are engaged in receiving money as the consideration for an assurance or agreement implied to pay money on events relating to horse-races, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said person or the said firm shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person or the said firm (either by his or its own or any fictitious or assumed name), shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

HENRY MARTINDALE, Wellington.
SCOTT AND MARTINDALE, Wellington.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1914.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Postmaster-General

Successful Candidates, Plumbers' Examination.

THE following is a list of candidates to whom certificates of having passed the examination held by the Plumbers' Board of New Zealand in December last will be granted, in pursuance of section 17 of the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

JOS. P. FRENGLEY, M.D., Etc.,
Chairman, Plumbers' Board of New Zealand.
12th March, 1914.

Allen, Frederick.
Allen, Leonard.
Buchanan, Edward Barnaby.
Cooper, Frank.
Corin, George.
Cotter, Richard Joseph.
Darnbrough, Mark.
Densem, George.
Dick, Robert.
Dray, William Alfred Mason.
Empson, Ernest Alfred.
Exeter, Thomas John, jun.
Feely, James.
Forbes, John.
Grattan, Thomas Arthur.
Gunson, William.
Gwilliam, Henry Benjamin.
Hall, Frederick Benjamin.
Harrison, Henry Alexander Holder.
Hope, William.
Horne, Frank Linford.
Jarmey, Bernard William.
Johnson, James.
Leitch, Thomas.
Loach, George Wallace.
Loudon, John.
McIntyre, Francis Donald.
Mattson, Wilbert Alfred.
Mills, Charles Henry William.
Montgomery, Samuel James.
O'Connor, Arthur Vincent.
Ogden, Augustus George.
Parrott, John George Victor.
Patterson, George Frankton.
Russell, Leonard Isitt.
Scott, Edward.
Sentsch, Vincent.
Seymour, George William.
Shearer, Sidney David.
Smith, Bertie.
Smith, Thomas Frederick.
Spencer, Joseph Alan.
Stratford, Matthew.
Thompson, Ernest.
Williams, Oliver.
Winterbourne, Leslie.
Young, Ernest Alfred.

Notice to Mariners No. 27 of 1914.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 5th March, 1914.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo, Japan, is published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

TAKA-SHIMA LIGHTHOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the character, candle-power, and visible distance of the light of Taka-shima Lighthouse, at the entrance to Yobuko Harbour, Province of Hizen, have been changed as follows:—

Character of light: Acetylene-gas flashing white light showing one flash every four (4) seconds.

Power: White light, 160 candles; red light, 60 candles; green light, 40 candles.

Visibility in clear night: White light, 11 nautical miles; red light, 8 nautical miles; green light, 7 nautical miles.

MOTODA HAJIME,
Minister of State for Communications,
Tokyo, 8th January, 1914.

Notice to Mariners No. 21 of 1914.

NAPIER HARBOUR.—ERECTION OF NEW LIGHT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 6th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that Notice to Mariners No. 16 of 1914 is hereby cancelled, and in lieu thereof the notice re the new harbour light should read as follows:—

For the convenience of steamers leaving the Glasgow Wharf breakwater harbour on dirty or hazy nights, the Napier Harbour Board has erected a lamp on the breakwater road about 723 yards, 252° (S. 56° W. magnetic), from the north extreme of Glasgow Wharf.

The light shown from this lamp is a *fixed red gas* light 18 ft. above high water, arc of visibility 39° from 159° (S. 37° E. magnetic) to 198° (S. 2° W. magnetic), and should be visible for a distance of one mile.

The light will only be shown when vessels are leaving the harbour on and after 7th March, 1914.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2513 and 2528; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter iv, page 133; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1914, page 262, and plan facing 262.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 22 of 1914.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Board, Hobart, is published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

OCEAN PIER, HOBART, TASMANIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new pier at the foot of Hunter Street old wharf, which is now nearing completion, has been named Ocean Pier.

Marine Board Office,
Hobart, 19th February, 1914.

J. ADAMS,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 23 of 1914.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo, Japan, is published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

WADA-MISAKI LIGHTHOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned changes to Wada-Misaki Lighthouse, Kobe Harbour, Province of Settsu, will take place at the end of January, 1914:—

Colour of building: Painted red.

Character of light: Acetylene-gas occulting white light; light three (3) seconds, eclipse two (2) seconds.

Candle-power: 2,000.

Visible distance: 12½ nautical miles in clear night.

N.B.—Further notice will be given after the changes have been completed.

MOTODA HAJIME,
Minister of State for Communications.

Tokyo, 15th January, 1914.

Notice to Mariners No. 24 of 1914.

CAUTION TO BE EXERCISED BY MERCHANT SHIPS WHEN APPROACHING BRITISH PORTS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th March, 1914.

THE following extract from British Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 1 of 1914, on the subject of caution to be exercised by merchant ships when approaching British ports, is published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

PART I.

Closing of Ports.

1. MY Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having taken into consideration the fact that local or other circumstances may arise in which it may be necessary, on account of periodical exercises, manœuvres, or otherwise, to forbid all entrance to certain ports of the Empire, this is to give notice that on approaching the shores of the United Kingdom, or any of the ports or localities of the British Empire referred to in Part III of this notice, a sharp lookout should be kept for the signals described in the following paragraph, and for the vessels mentioned in paragraph 5, Part II, of this notice, and the distinguishing and other signals made by them. In the event of such signals being displayed, the port or locality should be approached with great caution, as it may be apprehended that obstructions may exist.

2. If entrance to a port is prohibited, three *red* vertical lights by night, or three *red* vertical balls by day, will be exhibited in some conspicuous position in or near to its approach, which signals will also be shown by the vessels indicated in paragraph 5, Part II, of this notice.

If these signals are displayed, vessels must either proceed to the position marked "Examination Anchorage" on the Admiralty charts and anchor there, or keep the sea.

3. At all the ports or localities at home or abroad referred to in Part III of this notice searchlights are occasionally exhibited for exercise.

Instructions have been given to avoid directing movable searchlights during practice on to vessels under way, but mariners are warned that great care should be taken to keep a sharp lookout for the signals indicated in paragraph 2 above when searchlights are observed to be working.

PART II.

Examination Service.

4. Under certain circumstances it may become necessary to take special measures to examine vessels desiring to enter the ports or localities at home or abroad referred to in Part III of this notice.

5. In such case, vessels carrying the distinguishing flags or lights mentioned in paragraph 7 will be charged with the duty of examining ships which desire to enter the ports and of allotting positions in which they shall anchor. If Government vessels or vessels belonging to the local port authority are found patrolling in the offing, merchant vessels are advised to communicate with such vessels with a view to obtaining information as to the course on which they should approach the examination anchorage. Such communication will not be necessary in cases where the pilot on board has already received this information from the local authorities.

6. As the institution of the examination service at any port will never be publicly advertised, especial care should be taken in approaching the ports, by day or night, to keep a sharp lookout for any vessel carrying the flags or lights mentioned in paragraph 7, and to be ready to "bring to" at once when hailed by her or warned by the firing of a gun or sound-rocket.

In entering by night any of the ports mentioned below in Part III, serious delay and risk will be avoided if four efficient all round lamps, two *red* and two *white*, are kept available for use.

7. *By day* the distinguishing flags of the examination steamer will be a special flag (white and red horizontal surrounded by a blue border) and a blue ensign.

Also, three red vertical balls if the port is closed.

By night the steamer will carry—

(a.) Three *red* vertical lights if the port is closed.

(b.) Three *white* vertical lights if the port is open.

The above lights will be carried in addition to the ordinary navigation lights, and will show an unbroken light around the horizon.

8. Masters are warned that, before attempting to enter any of these ports when the examination service is in force, they must, in their own interests, strictly obey all instructions given to them by the examination steamer. In the absence of any instructions from the examination steamer they must proceed to the position marked "Examination anchorage" on the Admiralty charts and anchor there, or keep the sea.

Whilst at anchor in the examination anchorage masters are warned that they must not lower any boats (except to avoid accident), communicate with the shore, work cables, move the ship, or allow any one to leave the ship without permission from the examination steamer.

9. In case of fog, masters of vessels are enjoined to use the utmost care, and the examination anchorage itself should be approached with caution.

10. The pilots attached to the ports will be acquainted with the regulations to be followed.

PART III.

Ports or Localities referred to.

UNITED KINGDOM.		
Barrow.	Firth of Forth.	Queenstown.
Barry.	Harwich.	Sheerness.
Belfast.	Hull.	River Tees.
Berehaven.	River Mersey.	River Thames.
Cardiff.	Milford Haven.	River Tyne.
Clyde.	Newhaven.	Alderney.
Cromarty.	Plymouth.	Guernsey.
Dover.	Portland.	Jersey.
Falmouth.	Portsmouth.	
CANADA. ¹		
Esquimaux.	Halifax.	Quebec.
MEDITERRANEAN.		
Gibraltar.		Malta.
INDIAN OCEAN.		
Aden.	Colombo.	Mauritius.
Bombay.	Karachi.	Rangoon.
CHINA SEA.		
Hong Kong.		Singapore.
AFRICA.		
Cape Town.		Sierra Leone.
Durban.		Simons Bay.
AUSTRALIA.		
Adelaide.	Melbourne.	Sydney.
Brisbane.	Newcastle.	Thursday Island.
Fremantle.		
TASMANIA.		
	Hobart.	
NEW ZEALAND.		
Auckland.		Port Lyttelton.
Otago.		Wellington.
WEST INDIES.		
Bermuda.		Kingston, Jamaica.

By command of their Lordships,

H. E. PUREY-CUST,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Department, Admiralty,
London, 1st January, 1914.

Notice to Mariners No. 25 of 1914.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—ERECTOR OF DOLPHINS IN MECHANICS BAY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th March, 1914.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that they are erecting three temporary dolphins in Mechanics Bay for the purpose of mooring the dredgers when engaged upon the work of reclamation for the Railway Department at that spot. The dolphins will be removed as soon as the work is completed.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1970 and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 39.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 26 of 1914.

NEW RAILWAY WHARF AT PICTON.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after 16th March the new Railway Wharf at Picton is to be used for all shipping visiting the port, and that the Railway Department is going to pull up the old wharf. On the same date the fixed green light now exhibited from the new wharf will be discontinued, and a fixed red light will be exhibited in its place from the same elevation. The red light now exhibited from the old railway wharf will be discontinued, and during

removal of this wharf a fixed green light will be exhibited. Masters of vessels are cautioned against anchoring in the fairway so as to obstruct the approach to or departure from the new wharf.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1509 and 2054; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vi, page 177; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1914, pages 314 and 315 and plan facing page 314.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1914.—Notice No. 8.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1914.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King Edward VII, and intitled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend THOMAS CARTWRIGHT CULLWICK,

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend MORGAN RICHARDS.

W. W. COOK,

Deputy Registrar-General.

Astronomical Tables.

Hector Observatory,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th March, 1914.

THE following astronomical tables are published for general information. They give the New Zealand Standard mean time when the sun is on the meridian of the Hector Observatory, Wellington, and the sun's, apparent right ascension at apparent noon, Wellington. The adopted position of the transit instrument at the Hector Observatory is longitude 11 h. 39 m. 4.3 s. east of Greenwich and latitude 41° 17' 3.8" south, height 418 ft. above 1909 mean sea-level.

APRIL, 1914, AT APPARENT NOON.

Month.	Day of the Week.	New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.			The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.			
		h	m	s	h	m	s	
	1	Wed.	11	55	13.39	0	38	23.73
	2	Thu.	11	54	55.28	42	2.13	
	3	Fri.			37.26	45	40.61	
	4	Sat.			19.36	49	19.21	
	5	Sun.			1.58	52	57.94	
	6	Mon.	11	53	43.95	56	36.81	
	7	Tue.			26.48	1	0	15.85
	8	Wed.			9.19	3	55.07	
	9	Thu.	11	52	52.12	7	34.50	
	10	Fri.			35.27	11	14.16	
	11	Sat.			18.67	14	54.07	
	12	Sun.			2.34	18	34.25	
	13	Mon.	11	51	46.31	22	14.73	
	14	Tue.			30.59	25	55.52	
	15	Wed.			15.20	29	36.65	
	16	Thu.			0.17	33	18.13	
	17	Fri.	11	50	45.50	36	59.98	
	18	Sat.			31.23	40	42.22	
	19	Sun.			17.34	44	24.85	
	20	Mon.			3.87	48	7.90	
	21	Tue.	11	49	50.83	51	51.37	
	22	Wed.			38.21	55	35.28	
	23	Thu.			26.05	59	19.64	
	24	Fri.			14.34	2	3	4.45
	25	Sat.			3.10	6	49.73	
	26	Sun.	11	48	52.34	10	35.49	
	27	Mon.			42.05	14	21.74	
	28	Tue.			32.26	18	8.47	
	29	Wed.			22.95	21	55.70	
	30	Thu.			14.16	25	43.44	

MAY, 1914, at APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Fri.	11 48 5-88	2 29 31-68
2	Sat.	11 47 58-10	33 20-44
3	Sun.	50-84	37 9-72
4	Mon.	44-11	40 59-53
5	Tue.	37-91	44 49-87
6	Wed.	32-25	48 40-74
7	Thu.	27-13	52 32-16
8	Fri.	22-56	56 24-13
9	Sat.	18-55	3. 0 16-67
10	Sun.	15-10	4 9-77
11	Mon.	12-22	8 3-44
12	Tue.	9-92	11 57-70
13	Wed.	8-21	15 52-54
14	Thu.	7-09	19 47-97
15	Fri.	6-56	23 43-99
16	Sat.	6-61	27 40-60
17	Sun.	7-25	31 37-80
18	Mon.	8-48	35 35-58
19	Tue.	10-29	39 33-96
20	Wed.	12-67	43 32-90
21	Thu.	15-61	47 32-41
22	Fri.	19-12	51 32-49
23	Sat.	23-17	55 33-10
24	Sun.	27-76	59 34-27
25	Mon.	32-87	4 3 35-95
26	Tue.	38-49	7 38-15
27	Wed.	44-61	11 40-83
28	Thu.	51-22	15 44-01
29	Fri.	58-28	19 47-65
30	Sat.	11 48 5-79	23 51-74
31	Sun.	13-73	27 56-27

JULY, 1914, at APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Wed.	11 54 18-50	6 36 15-34
2	Thu.	30-24	40 23-67
3	Fri.	41-71	44 31-73
4	Sat.	52-88	48 39-50
5	Sun.	11 55 3-76	52 46-97
6	Mon.	14-31	56 54-10
7	Tue.	24-51	7 1 0-89
8	Wed.	34-35	5 7-33
9	Thu.	43-83	9 13-39
10	Fri.	52-93	13 19-06
11	Sat.	11 56 1-63	17 24-34
12	Sun.	9-91	21 29-21
13	Mon.	17-77	25 33-65
14	Tue.	25-20	29 37-65
15	Wed.	32-16	33 41-19
16	Thu.	38-66	37 44-27
17	Fri.	44-69	41 46-86
18	Sat.	50-21	45 48-96
19	Sun.	55-23	49 50-55
20	Mon.	59-73	53 51-62
21	Tue.	11 57 3-69	57 52-15
22	Wed.	7-10	8 1 52-14
23	Thu.	9-96	5 51-56
24	Fri.	12-25	9 50-41
25	Sat.	13-95	13 48-67
26	Sun.	15-06	17 46-35
27	Mon.	15-57	21 43-41
28	Tue.	15-47	25 39-87
29	Wed.	14-75	29 35-70
30	Thu.	13-41	33 30-91
31	Fri.	11-44	37 25-50

JUNE, 1914, at APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Mon.	11 48 22-09	4 32 1-21
2	Tue.	30-84	36 6-55
3	Wed.	39-98	40 12-27
4	Thu.	49-48	44 18-35
5	Fri.	59-33	48 24-79
6	Sat.	11 49 9-51	52 31-55
7	Sun.	20-01	56 38-64
8	Mon.	30-82	5 0 46-03
9	Tue.	41-91	4 53-72
10	Wed.	53-29	9 1-68
11	Thu.	11 50 4-94	13 9-91
12	Fri.	16-82	17 18-39
13	Sat.	28-93	21 27-09
14	Sun.	41-24	25 35-99
15	Mon.	53-73	29 45-09
16	Tue.	11 51 6-40	33 54-33
17	Wed.	19-19	38 3-73
18	Thu.	32-11	42 13-23
19	Fri.	45-10	46 22-83
20	Sat.	58-17	50 32-49
21	Sun.	11 52 11-28	54 42-19
22	Mon.	24-40	58 51-91
23	Tue.	37-50	6 3 1-61
24	Wed.	50-56	7 11-26
25	Thu.	11 53 3-56	11 20-85
26	Fri.	16-45	15 30-34
27	Sat.	29-21	19 39-70
28	Sun.	41-83	23 48-90
29	Mon.	54-26	27 57-93
30	Tue.	11 54 6-49	32 6-75

AUGUST, 1914, at APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Sat.	11 57 8-85	8 41 19-45
2	Sun.	5-63	45 12-78
3	Mon.	1-79	49 5-50
4	Tue.	11 56 57-34	52 57-59
5	Wed.	52-28	56 49-07
6	Thu.	46-61	9 0 39-94
7	Fri.	40-35	4 30-22
8	Sat.	33-50	8 19-90
9	Sun.	26-06	12 9-00
10	Mon.	18-05	15 57-53
11	Tue.	9-47	19 45-48
12	Wed.	0-34	23 32-88
13	Thu.	11 55 50-65	27 19-73
14	Fri.	40-43	31 6-03
15	Sat.	29-67	34 51-80
16	Sun.	18-39	38 37-04
17	Mon.	6-59	42 21-76
18	Tue.	11 54 54-29	46 5-99
19	Wed.	41-48	49 49-70
20	Thu.	28-19	53 32-92
21	Fri.	14-42	57 15-66
22	Sat.	0-16	10 0 57-93
23	Sun.	11 53 45-44	4 39-73
24	Mon.	30-27	8 21-07
25	Tue.	14-65	12 1-95
26	Wed.	11 52 58-59	15 42-40
27	Thu.	42-10	19 22-42
28	Fri.	25-20	23 2-04
29	Sat.	7-90	26 41-24
30	Sun.	11 51 50-22	30 20-07
31	Mon.	32-18	33 58-53

SEPTEMBER, 1914, AT APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Tue.	11 51 13.79	10 37 36.64
2	Wed.	11 50 55.07	41 14.43
3	Thu.	36.05	44 51.91
4	Fri.	16.73	48 29.10
5	Sat.	11 49 57.16	52 6.02
6	Sun.	37.34	55 42.70
7	Mon.	17.29	59 19.15
8	Tue.	11 48 57.05	11 2 55.40
9	Wed.	36.61	6 31.47
10	Thu.	16.02	10 7.37
11	Fri.	11 47 55.29	13 43.14
12	Sat.	34.43	17 18.77
13	Sun.	13.47	20 54.31
14	Mon.	11 46 52.44	24 29.77
15	Tue.	31.34	28 5.17
16	Wed.	10.19	31 40.53
17	Thu.	11 45 49.02	35 15.85
18	Fri.	27.84	38 51.16
19	Sat.	6.67	42 26.50
20	Sun.	11 44 45.54	46 1.86
21	Mon.	24.44	49 37.25
22	Tue.	3.40	53 12.70
23	Wed.	11 43 42.44	56 48.24
24	Thu.	21.56	12 0 23.86
25	Fri.	0.79	3 59.59
26	Sat.	11 42 40.14	7 35.44
27	Sun.	19.65	11 11.43
28	Mon.	11 41 59.31	14 47.60
29	Tue.	39.17	18 23.95
30	Wed.	19.24	22 0.52

NOVEMBER, 1914, AT APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Sun.	11 34 38.08	14 21 28.02
2	Mon.	36.06	25 22.54
3	Tue.	34.82	29 17.86
4	Wed.	34.40	33 13.98
5	Thu.	34.79	37 10.93
6	Fri.	36.00	41 8.71
7	Sat.	38.06	45 7.33
8	Sun.	40.97	49 6.79
9	Mon.	44.73	53 7.12
10	Tue.	49.34	57 8.30
11	Wed.	54.82	15 1 10.36
12	Thu.	11 35 1.17	5 13.28
13	Fri.	8.38	9 17.08
14	Sat.	16.47	13 21.75
15	Sun.	25.43	17 27.28
16	Mon.	35.25	21 33.68
17	Tue.	45.92	25 40.94
18	Wed.	57.44	29 49.05
19	Thu.	11 36 9.79	33 57.99
20	Fri.	22.97	38 7.76
21	Sat.	36.96	42 18.35
22	Sun.	51.74	46 29.73
23	Mon.	11 37 7.31	50 41.90
24	Tue.	23.65	54 54.84
25	Wed.	40.75	59 8.55
26	Thu.	58.61	16 3 23.01
27	Fri.	11 38 17.20	7 38.21
28	Sat.	36.52	11 54.14
29	Sun.	56.54	16 10.77
30	Mon.	11 39 17.25	20 28.10

OCTOBER, 1914, AT APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Thu.	11 40 59.54	12 25 37.33
2	Fri.	40.10	29 14.38
3	Sat.	20.93	32 51.73
4	Sun.	2.08	36 29.37
5	Mon.	11 39 43.55	40 7.34
6	Tue.	25.36	43 45.66
7	Wed.	7.55	47 24.35
8	Thu.	11 38 50.14	51 3.44
9	Fri.	33.14	54 42.96
10	Sat.	16.58	58 22.91
11	Sun.	0.48	13 2 3.32
12	Mon.	11 37 44.86	5 44.21
13	Tue.	29.74	9 25.60
14	Wed.	15.14	13 7.52
15	Thu.	1.09	16 49.98
16	Fri.	11 36 47.53	20 33.00
17	Sat.	34.66	24 16.58
18	Sun.	22.32	28 0.76
19	Mon.	10.57	31 45.55
20	Tue.	11 35 59.45	35 30.94
21	Wed.	48.94	39 16.96
22	Thu.	39.07	43 3.61
23	Fri.	29.84	46 50.92
24	Sat.	21.28	50 38.89
25	Sun.	13.38	54 27.53
26	Mon.	6.18	58 16.85
27	Tue.	11 34 59.67	14 2 6.88
28	Wed.	53.87	5 57.62
29	Thu.	48.79	9 49.09
30	Fri.	44.46	13 41.30
31	Sat.	40.89	17 34.27

DECEMBER, 1914, AT APPARENT NOON.

Day of the		New Zealand Standard Mean Time of Sun on Meridian at Hector Observatory, Wellington.	The Sun's Apparent Right Ascension at Apparent Noon, Wellington.
Month.	Week.		
		h m s	h m s
1	Tue.	11 39 38.64	16 24 46.10
2	Wed.	11 40 0.69	29 4.77
3	Thu.	23.38	33 24.08
4	Fri.	46.70	37 44.02
5	Sat.	11 41 10.62	42 4.57
6	Sun.	35.13	46 25.70
7	Mon.	11 42 0.20	50 47.40
8	Tue.	25.81	55 9.64
9	Wed.	51.94	59 32.40
10	Thu.	11 43 18.57	17 3 55.67
11	Fri.	45.65	8 19.39
12	Sat.	11 44 13.18	12 43.54
13	Sun.	41.11	17 8.10
14	Mon.	11 45 9.41	21 33.04
15	Tue.	38.06	25 58.33
16	Wed.	11 46 7.01	30 23.92
17	Thu.	36.22	34 49.77
18	Fri.	11 47 5.65	39 15.84
19	Sat.	35.27	43 42.10
20	Sun.	11 48 5.04	48 8.51
21	Mon.	34.92	52 35.03
22	Tue.	11 49 4.87	57 1.62
23	Wed.	34.85	18 1 28.25
24	Thu.	11 50 4.84	5 54.87
25	Fri.	34.79	10 21.47
26	Sat.	11 51 4.67	14 47.98
27	Sun.	34.45	19 14.40
28	Mon.	11 52 4.10	23 40.69
29	Tue.	33.59	28 6.81
30	Wed.	11 53 2.87	32 32.74
31	Thu.	31.93	36 58.44

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Vital Statistics of Chief Cities, Year 1913.

GOVERNMENT Statistician's Report on the Vital Statistics of the Four Chief Centres of New Zealand for the Year 1913:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Births and Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Year 1913.

BOROUGH.	Estimated Mean Population of Boroughs, 1913.	Births registered in 1913.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1913.									Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population.
				MALES.			FEMALES.			Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population.			
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland	50,116	1,164	23·23	66	8	236	49	13	204	576	11·49			
Birkenhead	2,078	66	31·76	2	3	7	1	1	5	19	9·14			
Devonport	7,578	175	23·09	8	3	26	1	3	18	59	7·79			
Newmarket	3,124	50	16·01	2	1	10	..	..	8	21	6·72	
Grey Lynn	8,465	282	33·31	12	2	28	8	1	30	81	9·57			
Mount Eden	10,464	318	30·39	12	3	47	15	1	47	125	11·95			
Northcote	1,611	42	26·07	..	..	5	2	2	9	18	11·17	
Mount Albert	8,187	279	34·08	3	3	18	11	5	33	73	8·92			
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	91,624	2,376	25·93	105	23	377	87	26	354	972	10·61			
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	19,598													
Total mean population of Greater Auckland	111,222													
The estimated population of Auckland City and suburbs on 1st January, 1914, was 113,334 persons.														
Wellington	66,792	1,662	24·88	49	10	268	49	12	233	621	9·30			
Karori	1,566	34	21·71	2	..	3	..	..	4	9	5·75	
Onslow	1,974	42	21·28	3	1	6	1	1	4	16	8·11			
Miramar	1,748	41	23·46	2	1	2	2	..	3	10	5·72			
Eastbourne	605	14	23·14	..	..	2	..	..	2	4	6·61
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	72,685	1,793	24·67	56	12	281	52	13	246	660	9·08			
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	986													
Total mean population of Greater Wellington	73,671													
The estimated population of Wellington City and suburbs on 1st January, 1914, was 74,451 persons.														
Christchurch	55,599	1,310	23·56	47	16	244	39	12	220	578	10·40			
Woolston	3,718	96	25·82	4	1	12	3	4	16	40	10·76			
New Brighton	2,009	40	19·91	2	..	5	..	1	4	12	5·97			
Summer	1,971	48	24·35	3	..	8	..	..	7	18	9·13	
Spreydon	3,645	119	32·65	2	..	11	3	2	14	32	8·78			
Riccarton	3,089	88	28·96	3	..	14	2	1	10	30	9·87			
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	69,961	1,701	24·31	61	17	294	47	20	271	710	10·15			
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	14,828													
Total mean population of Greater Christchurch	84,789													
The estimated population of Christchurch City and suburbs on 1st January, 1914, was 85,946 persons.														
Dunedin	49,153	1,062	21·61	47	9	262	35	5	231	589	11·98			
Maori Hill	2,291	54	23·57	..	1	3	1	1	6	12	5·24			
Mornington	5,087	104	20·40	4	1	11	3	..	25	44	8·65			
St. Kilda	4,666	152	32·58	6	1	17	6	2	15	47	10·07			
West Harbour	2,054	44	21·42	2	..	4	..	..	4	10	4·87	
Green Island	2,034	55	27·04	2	..	7	2	..	7	18	8·85			
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	65,285	1,471	22·53	61	12	304	47	8	288	720	11·03			
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	2,537													
Total mean population of Greater Dunedin	67,822													
The estimated population of Dunedin City and suburbs on 1st January, 1914, was 68,664 persons.														
Grand totals for boroughs	299,555	7,341	24·51	283	64	1,256	238	67	1,159	3,062	10·22			

* The remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics.

Deaths occurring at hospitals have been omitted, except where deceased had previously resided in one or other of the above boroughs, in which case the death is counted against the borough of residence.

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths in the Four Chief Cities and their Suburbs registered during the Year 1913.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
1. Typhoid Fever	1	2	..	4	..	1	..	..	8
4. Malaria .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
6. Measles .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	1	10
7. Scarlet Fever .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
8. Whooping-cough	21	1	12	..	10	..	8	1	53
9. Diphtheria	8	3	..	1	1	..	2	..	15
9A. Croup	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
10. Influenza .. .. .	..	2	1	3	..	3	..	3	12
14. Dysentery .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
18. Erysipelas .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
20. Purulent Infection and Septicæmia	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	2	9
24. Tetanus .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	4
28. Phthisis .. .. .	..	31	..	48	..	37	..	47	163
28. Tuberculosis	1	12	1	11	..	10	..	2	37
29. Miliary Tuberculosis	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	5
30. Tuberculous Meningitis	2	4	3	3	3	4	..	5	24
31. Abdominal Tuberculosis	1	2	..	1	..	2	..	1	7
32. Potts's Disease .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
33. Tubercular Hip-disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	3
34. Tuberculosis of Other Organs .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	2	7
35. Disseminated Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	5
36. Rickets	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
37. Syphilis	1	..	1	1	..	3	..	..	6
39. Cancer of Buccal Cavity, &c. .. .. .	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	2	7
40. " Stomach, Liver .. .. .	..	33	..	26	..	30	..	28	117
41. " Peritoneum, Intestines, Rectum .. .. .	..	13	..	11	..	10	..	14	48
42. " Female Genital Organs .. .. .	..	13	..	10	..	6	..	11	40
43. " Breast .. .. .	..	7	..	4	..	7	..	10	28
44. " Skin .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	6
45. " Other Organs, or of Organs not specified .. .. .	..	13	..	17	1	12	..	12	55
46. Other Tumours .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
47. Acute Articular Rheumatism .. .. .	..	2	..	4	..	6	1	..	13
48. Chronic Rheumatism and Gout .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
50. Diabetes .. .. .	..	11	..	8	..	11	..	15	45
51. Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	5
52. Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
53. Leucæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
54. Anæmia	1	4	..	1	..	7	..	3	16
55. Other General Diseases	1	2	1	1	1	1	..	1	8
56. Alcoholism (Acute or Chronic) .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	3	12
Total	40	189	19	166	20	170	15	174	793
II.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
60. Encephalitis .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
61. Meningitis	7	7	2	6	6	4	3	2	37
62. Locomotor Ataxia .. .. .	..	3	..	1	..	3	..	1	8
63. Other Diseases of the Spinal Cord	1	4	..	5	1	4	1	3	19
64. Apoplexy, Cerebral Hæmorrhage	2	40	1	22	..	26	..	43	134
65. Softening of the Brain .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
66. Paralysis, without Specified Cause .. .. .	..	8	..	2	..	3	..	9	22
67. General Paralysis of the Insane .. .. .	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	4	10
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	1	9
69. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	4	..	3	..	5	..	1	13
70. Convulsions (Non-puerperal) .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
71. Convulsions of Infants	6	..	2	..	4	..	6	..	18
72. Chorea .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
74. Other Diseases of Nervous System .. .. .	..	7	..	3	..	4	..	1	15
76. Diseases of the Ear .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	3
Total	16	80	5	47	12	58	10	69	297
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
77. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	4
78. Acute Endocarditis	1	3	..	3	..	6	..	6	19
79. Heart-disease	2	132	3	71	2	92	1	82	385
80. Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	10	19
81. Diseases of the Arteries, Atheroma, Aneurism, &c. .. .. .	..	16	..	14	..	7	1	17	55
82. Embolism, Thrombosis .. .. .	..	3	..	6	..	2	..	6	17
83. Diseases of the Veins .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	3
84. Diseases of Lymphatic System	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
85. Hæmorrhage, Other Diseases of the Circulatory System	1	..	1	..	1	3
Total	4	161	4	98	2	113	2	123	507

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CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
87. Diseases of the Larynx .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2
88. Diseases of Thyroid Body .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	2
89. Acute Bronchitis	1	4	1	..	2	4	2	2	16
90. Chronic Bronchitis .. ..	..	16	1	14	1	19	1	14	66
91. Broncho-pneumonia	5	7	8	4	7	2	6	5	44
92. Pneumonia	16	24	5	25	1	15	7	18	111
93. Pleurisy .. ..	..	3	1	2	..	2	..	4	12
94. Congestion of Lungs .. ..	..	1	..	3	4	1	1	3	13
95. Gangrene of Lungs .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
96. Asthma .. ..	..	9	..	1	..	2	..	3	15
97. Pulmonary Emphysema .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
98. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
Total	23	68	16	49	16	47	18	52	289
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
100. Diseases of the Pharynx .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
102. Ulcer of the Stomach .. ..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	7
103. Other Diseases of the Stomach	2	4	..	..	..	4	3	4	17
104. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (children under two years of age)	49	..	22	..	17	..	12	..	100
105. Diarrhoea (children over two years and adults)	2	14	1	5	1	10	1	2	36
108. Appendicitis and Typhlitis .. ..	..	8	..	8	1	3	..	1	21
109. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	2	6	2	7	..	5	2	7	31
110. Other Diseases of Intestines .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	2	6
112. Hydatids of Liver .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	4
113. Cirrhosis of Liver .. ..	..	6	..	1	..	5	..	8	20
114. Biliary Calculi .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
115. Other Diseases of the Liver .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	5
117. Peritonitis .. ..	..	4	..	7	..	4	..	3	18
118. Other Diseases of the Digestive System	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Total	55	47	25	35	20	35	19	35	271
VI.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
119. Acute Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	3
120. Bright's Disease .. ..	..	24	..	17	..	12	..	26	79
120. Uræmia .. ..	..	2	..	5	1	2	..	5	15
122. Other Diseases of the Kidneys and Annexa	1	1	..	2	..	4	1	3	12
124. Diseases of the Bladder .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	5	11
125. Stricture of the Urethra	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
126. Diseases of the Prostate .. ..	..	7	..	3	..	4	..	7	21
128. Uterine Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
129. Uterine Tumour .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
130. Other Diseases of Uterus .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
131. Other Diseases of Female Genital Organs	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
Total	2	40	..	32	1	26	1	50	152
VII.—PUERPERAL CONDITION.									
134. Abortion, Miscarriage .. ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	4
135. Puerperal Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
136. Other Accidents of Labour .. ..	..	1	..	2	..	3	..	..	6
137. Puerperal Septicæmia .. ..	..	4	..	3	..	2	..	1	10
138. Puerperal Albuminuria .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
140. Puerperal Insanity .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Total .. ..	..	6	..	11	..	5	..	3	25
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
142. Gangrene .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
144. Acute Abscess, Phlegmon .. ..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	3
145. Other Diseases of the Skin .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Total .. ..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	5	8
IX.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.									
146. Non-tuberculous Disease of the Bones	1	4	1	1	..	2	..	3	12
147. Arthritis	1	1	..	2
149. Other Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion	1	1
Total	1	4	1	1	..	3	1	4	15

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	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
X.—MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Congenital Heart-disease	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3
150. Congenital Hydrocephalus	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	4
150. Congenital Malformations	6	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	11
150. Congenital Obstruction of Gall Duct .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
150. Meningocele .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
150. Patent Foramen Ovale .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2
150. Spina Bifida	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Total	11	..	2	1	3	1	6	..	24
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.									
151. Congenital Debility, Marasmus, &c. ..	38	..	18	..	25	..	18	..	99
151A. Premature Birth	31	..	34	..	37	..	36	..	138
152. Atelectasis	3	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	7
152. Birth Accident	6	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	9
152. Hæmorrhage of the Newly-born	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3
152. Septicæmia of Umbilicus	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
152. Umbilical Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total	80	..	57	..	67	..	55	..	259
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility .. ..	..	65	..	38	..	61	..	45	209
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
155. Suicide—By Poison .. ..	..	9	..	3	..	2	..	..	14
156. " By Asphyxia .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
157. " By Hanging .. ..	..	3	..	1	..	5	..	2	11
158. " By Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
159. " By Firearms .. ..	..	2	..	5	..	3	..	2	12
160. " By Cutting-instruments .. ..	..	2	..	1	..	3	..	2	8
163. " By Burning .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
165. Accident—Poison	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
166. " Suffocated in a Burning House .. ..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
167. " Burns	2	6	1	2	..	3	..	..	14
168. " Absorption of Gases	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
169. " Drowning .. ..	..	11	1	1	1	3	1	7	33
170. " Firearms .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
172. " Fall .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	3
172. " Fall down Hold of Ship .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Fall down Stairs .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Fall—Fracture of Skull .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	3
172. " Fall from Window .. ..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	3
173. " Fall of Earth .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
174. " Machinery .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	4
175. " Collision with Tram-car .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
175. " Collision playing Football .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
175. " Crushing .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
175. " Crushed by Steam-roller .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
175. " Crushed under a Punt .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
175. " Railways	1	2	..	1	..	2	..	2	8
175. " Struck by Motor-car .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
175. " Thrown from Bicycle .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
175. " Vehicles	1	2	..	2	..	2	..	4	11
176. " Injuries by Animals .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
178. " Exposure and Cold .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
184. " Homicide	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
185. " Dislocation of Neck .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
185. Fractures .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
185. Accident—Fracture of Collar-bone .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
185. " Fracture of Leg .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
185. " Fracture of Skull .. ..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
185. " Fracture of Spine .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
186. " Undefined .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
186. " Concussion of Brain .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
186. " Concussion of Spine .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Compression of Brain .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Explosion—Gunpowder .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
186. " Fall of Timber .. ..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
186. " Hoisting Cargo .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Hæmorrhage (wound) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Struck by a Stone .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
186. " Struck by a Swing .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
186. " Suffocation	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
186. " Suffocation by Food in Larynx during Sleep .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
186. " Suffocation while Vomiting .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total	9	61	4	37	3	39	1	31	185
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
188. Syncope .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	1	7
189. Heart-failure .. ..	..	4	..	10	..	1	..	..	15
189. Debility .. ..	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	6
Total .. ..	..	9	..	11	..	7	..	1	28
General Totals	241	731	133	527	145	565	128	592	3,062

BIRTHS AND BIRTH-RATES.

The total number of births registered as occurring in the four chief cities and suburban boroughs in 1913 was 7,341, as against 8,084 for the previous year.

The birth-rates for last year were,—

	Birth-rates per 1,000 of Mean Population.
Auckland City	23.23
and seven suburban boroughs	25.93
Wellington City	24.88
and four suburban boroughs	24.67
Christchurch City	23.56
and five suburban boroughs	24.31
Dunedin City	21.61
and five suburban boroughs	22.53

By the inclusion of the suburbs the rate is lowered at Wellington, but raised in the case of the other three centres. Excluding the suburbs, it will be observed that Wellington has the highest rate, Christchurch next highest, Auckland and Dunedin following. The birth-rate for the Dominion last year was 26.14 per thousand. All four centres are thus below the average.

The birth-rates for each of the four central boroughs last year show a decrease when compared with 1912. In Auckland the rate fell from 30.63 to 23.23; in Wellington from 28.20 to 24.88; in Christchurch from 29.52 to 23.56; and in Dunedin from 29.10 to 21.61. The rates for five years, 1909 to 1913, are,—

	Births per 1,000 of Population.				
	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.
Auckland (without suburbs)	29.73	27.75	30.08	30.63	23.23
Wellington	26.62	24.13	26.67	28.20	24.88
Christchurch	28.55	27.10	28.45	29.52	23.56
Dunedin	28.34	27.22	29.45	29.10	21.61

DEATHS AND DEATH-RATES.

The total number of deaths registered for the four centres in 1913 was 3,062—viz., 2,364 in the cities, and 698 in the suburbs.

By including the suburbs the death-rate for last year is lowered at all of the four centres. The rates for the year are,—

	Death-rates per 1,000 of Mean Population.
Auckland City	11.49
and seven suburban boroughs	10.61
Wellington City	9.30
and four suburban boroughs	9.08
Christchurch City	10.40
and five suburban boroughs	10.15
Dunedin City	11.98
and five suburban boroughs	11.03

The death-rates for the cities, including suburban boroughs, for five years are as below :—

	Deaths, 1909. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1910. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1911. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1912. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1913. Per 1,000 of Population.
Auckland (including suburbs)	9.30	9.73	10.93	9.73	10.61
Wellington	9.11	8.95	10.08	9.13	9.08
Christchurch	9.33	10.41	10.36	10.34	10.15
Dunedin	9.95	10.24	10.43	10.43	11.03

If the number of deaths of infants under one year be excluded, the mortality among the rest of the population is found to have been for 1912 and 1913 in the following ratio to the 1,000 living :—

	1912.	1913.
Auckland (including suburbs)	8.04	8.74
Wellington	7.44	7.79
Christchurch	8.65	8.82
Dunedin	9.40	9.59

The degree of infantile mortality is perhaps best shown in the proportion of deaths of children under one year of age to every 100 births. For 1912 and 1913 the proportions at the chief centres are,—

	1912.	1913.
Auckland (including suburbs)	5.70	8.08
Wellington	6.13	6.02
Christchurch	6.00	6.35
Dunedin	3.81	7.34

Again, the percentage of deaths of children under five years to the total number of deaths is—Auckland, 24.79; Wellington, 20.15; Christchurch, 20.42; Dunedin, 17.78.

Excluding suburbs, and dealing with the deaths at all ages in the four cities or central boroughs only, the rates at Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch for 1913 are found to be lower than in the previous year. The figures for five years are given :—

	Deaths, 1909. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1910. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1911. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1912. Per 1,000 of Population.	Deaths, 1913. Per 1,000 of Population.
Auckland (excluding suburbs)	11.25	11.88	13.68	11.65	11.49
Wellington	9.35	9.31	10.32	9.43	9.30
Christchurch	9.48	10.54	10.95	10.63	10.40
Dunedin	11.55	10.99	11.79	11.57	11.98

Omitting the deaths of infants under one year, and calculating the rate on the population of one year of age and upwards, an increase is shown at three of the four centres. The mean rates for five years are also given :—

	Deaths per 1,000 of Population, excluding Infants under One Year of Age.	
	1912.	1913. Mean of Five Years.
Auckland (excluding suburbs)	9.95	10.07
Wellington	7.95	7.84
Christchurch	9.03	8.87
Dunedin	10.79	10.35

Subjoined is a table showing the rates of infant mortality in the four cities for each of the past two years, together with the mean rates for the last five years.

	Deaths of Children under One Year to every 100 Births.	
	1912.	1913. Mean of Five Years.
Auckland (excluding suburbs)	6.55	7.91
Wellington	6.06	7.33
Christchurch	6.32	6.46
Dunedin	3.78	5.68

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of January, 1914:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of January, 1914.

BOROUGHES.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1914.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHES.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHES REGISTERED IN JANUARY, 1914.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, January, 1914.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1913.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland	50,370	85	3	3	17	1	3	18	45	0.89	11.49
Birkenhead	2,122	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	0.47	9.14
Devonport	7,715	15	..	..	3	1	..	1	5	0.65	7.79
Newmarket	3,179	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.72
Grey Lynn	3,613	26	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.23	9.57
Mount Eden	10,947	22	..	..	4	1	..	1	6	0.55	11.95
Northcote	1,701	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	1.76	11.17
Mount Albert	8,705	23	..	1	3	1	..	1	6	0.69	8.92
Takapuna	1,533	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.65	..
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	94,825	193	5	4	30	5	3	22	69	0.73	10.61
Population of other suburbs*	18,449										
Total population of Greater Auckland	113,334										
Wellington	67,446	139	7	1	18	3	1	19	49	0.73	9.30
Karori	1,609	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5.75
Onslow	2,006	6	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.50	8.11
Miramar	1,771	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.72
Eastbourne	616	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.61
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	73,448	154	7	1	18	3	1	20	50	0.65	9.08
Population of other suburbs*	1,003										
Total population of Greater Wellington	74,451										
Christchurch	56,250	125	..	..	22	..	..	18	40	0.71	10.40
Woolston	3,780	8	..	..	2	..	..	2	4	1.06	10.76
New Brighton	2,078	7	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	0.96	5.97
Sumner	1,995	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9.13
Spreydon	3,769	5	..	..	1	1	..	1	3	0.80	8.78
Riccarton	3,068	4	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.65	9.87
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	70,940	153	..	..	26	1	1	23	51	0.72	10.15
Population of other suburbs*	15,006										
Total population of Greater Christchurch	85,946										
Dunedin	49,446	91	2	1	22	2	..	14	41	0.83	11.98
Maori Hill	2,307	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.24
Morningside	5,233	13	..	..	..	2	..	1	3	0.57	8.65
St. Kilda	4,898	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10.07
West Harbour	2,075	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.87
Green Island	2,092	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.85
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	66,101	124	2	1	22	4	..	15	44	0.67	11.03
Population of other suburbs*	2,563										
Total population of Greater Dunedin	68,664										

* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

In the above table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

The inclusion of the suburban boroughs tends to lower the rate at Auckland, Wellington, and Dunedin, but raises it at Christchurch.

	Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	0.89	
and seven suburban boroughs		0.73
Wellington City	0.73	
and four suburban boroughs		0.65
Christchurch City	0.71	
and five suburban boroughs		0.72
Dunedin City	0.83	
and five suburban boroughs		0.67

Including the suburbs, the rate at Auckland is the highest, and at Wellington the lowest.

Compared with January, 1913, the results are,—

	1913.	1914.
Auckland and suburbs	0.96	0.73
Wellington and suburbs	0.82	0.65
Christchurch and suburbs	0.75	0.72
Dunedin and suburbs	0.82	0.67

The total births in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs amounted to 624, against 635 in December—a decrease of 11. The deaths in January were 214—a decrease of 30 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 116, females 98. Thirty-eight of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 17.76 per cent. of the whole number; 27 of these were under one year of age.

There were 55 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs, as against 69 in December. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
65	3	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	5	1
66	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
67	..	1	..	1	2	1	1	..	3	3
68	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
69	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
70	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1
71	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
72	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
73	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
74	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	2
76	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
77	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	1
78	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
79	..	2	..	..	3	1	..	..	3	3
80	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
81	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	3
84	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2
87	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
92	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Totals ..	11	8	6	2	9	12	3	4	29	26

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during January, 1914.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
<i>(a.) Epidemic Diseases.</i>									
1. Enteric Fever .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
6. Measles .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
8. Whooping-cough .. .. .	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
9. Diphtheria	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>									
24. Tetanus .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
28. Phthisis .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	6	15
28. Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
30. Tubercular Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
34. Tuberculosis of Kidney .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during January, 1914—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES—continued.									
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases—continued.</i>									
34. Tubercular Spine	3	..	3	..	1	11
40. Cancer of Stomach and Liver	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
41. " Intestines and Rectum	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	3
42. " Uterus and Ovary	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
43. " Breast	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
45. " Other Organs	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	3
50. Diabetes	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1
51. Exophthalmic Goitre	1	1
53. Hodgkin's Disease	1	1
54. Anæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
55. Purpura Hæmorrhagica	1	..	..	..	..	1
56. Delirium Tremens	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
61. Meningitis	2	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	6
63. Paralysis Agitans	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	8
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage	2	..	1	..	2	..	3	1
66. General Paralysis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
66. Hemiplegia	2	..	..	2
68. Dementia, Mania	1	..	1	..	..	4
69. Epilepsy	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1
71. Convulsions	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
74. Cerebellar Tumour	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
74. Neurasthenia	1	..	..	1
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
79. Heart-disease	4	..	9	..	14	..	5	32
81. Arteric-sclerosis	1	..	..	..	2	3
82. Thrombosis, Embolism	1	..	2	..	..	3
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
90. Chronic Bronchitis	1	..	1	..	..	2
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	4
92. Pneumonia	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	4
93. Pleurisy	1	1
94. Congestion of Lungs	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
96. Bronchial Asthma	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
98. Abscess of Lung	1	..	..	..	..	1
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
100. Septic Tonsillitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
103. Gastritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
103. Gastric Ulcer	1	..	..	..	..	1
104. Gastro-enteritis (under 2 years of age)	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
105. Diarrhœa (2 years and over)	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
105. Gastro-enteritis (2 years and over)	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
108. Appendicitis	4	..	1	5
109. Obstruction of Intestine	1	..	2	..	..	3
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	1
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
119. Acute Nephritis	1	..	..	1
120. Bright's Disease	1	..	..	..	2	3
120. Uræmia	1	..	..	1
122. Renal Disease	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.									
137. Puerperal Septicæmia	1	..	..	..	..	1
X.—MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Malformation of Heart	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
150. Microcephaly	1	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during January, 1914—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
XI.—DISEASES OF INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c.	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	4
151A. Premature Birth	4	..	5	..	1	..	2	..	12
152. Atelectasis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
152. Apnœa Neonatorum	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility .. ..	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	1	8
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
165. Accident—Poison	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
168. " Anæsthetic .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
169. " Drowned .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	1	7
172. " Fall from Ladder .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
175. " Crushed by Truck .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
175. " Jump from Tram in Motion .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED CAUSES.									
188. Syncope	1	1	2
189. Heart-failure	1	1	2
189. Found Dead	1	1
Totals	17	52	12	38	2	49	7	37	214

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			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Thames	3,727	7	1	1	0.27	8.61	
Gisborne	9,609	50	1	1	1	3	0.31	15.50	
New Plymouth	7,835	22	..	1	3	3	7	0.89	12.87	
Napier	11,050	22	..	1	3	4	0.36	12.77	
Wanganui	13,675	42	1	..	6	1	2	6	16	16	1.17	9.57	
Palmerston North	11,971	44	1	..	5	1	..	2	9	9	0.75	9.92	
Masterton	5,742	6	1	1	..	1	3	3	0.52	9.03	
Petone	7,214	15	4	1	5	5	0.69	7.19	
Blenheim	4,010	18	3	2	5	5	1.25	13.47	
Nelson	8,505	32	1	..	1	1	..	2	5	5	0.59	15.24	
Greymouth	5,684	8	1	1	2	2	0.35	18.85	
Hokitika	2,363	13.97	
Lyttelton	4,151	7	3	1	4	4	0.96	9.88	
Timaru	12,575	24	1	..	4	..	1	1	7	7	0.56	9.70	
Oamaru	5,478	15	4	2	6	6	1.10	11.80	
Invercargill	14,353	37	5	1	..	4	10	10	0.70	8.91	
Invercargill South	1,632	9	1	1	1	0.61	9.51	

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 1914.MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Plumbers' Register of New Zealand.

THE list of registered plumbers appearing hereunder is published for general information.
These persons completed registration subsequent to the publication of the list in the *Gazette* of 5th February, 1914.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Public Health.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST No. 1.

No.	Name.	Address.	No.	Name.	Address.
482.	Abbott, Benjamin Frank	Auckland.	954.	Hope, William	Invercargill.
936.	Allen, Frederick	Grey Lynn.	955.	Horne, Frank Linford	Timaru.
937.	Allen, Leonard	Te Aroha.	94.	Hughes, Joseph Arthur	Auckland.
932.	Anchor, Joseph Spencer	Invercargill.	558.	Jacob, Percy George	Gisborne.
9.	Anderson, George	Auckland.	956.	Jarmey, Bernard William	Wellington.
483.	Aughton, John William	Avondale.	957.	Johnson, James	Te Aroha.
703.	Barclay, Alexander	Nelson.	740.	Kellett, John	Gisborne.
138.	Bartholomew, George William	Wellington.	897.	Lamb, Walter George	Auckland.
791.	Bedell, Frederick Edward	Wellington.	958.	Leitch, Thomas	Auckland.
413.	Bell, William	Auckland.	449.	Litherland, Alfred	Auckland.
207.	Bettel, Marshall Edward	Christchurch.	959.	Loach, George Wallace	Hastings.
495.	Blagdon, William	Dunedin.	357.	Loesch, Frank Colin	New Plymouth
479.	Bourke, Frederick George	Auckland.	960.	Loudon, John	Temuka.
489.	Brewer, Edward	Auckland.	674.	Martin, Edward	Gisborne.
499.	Brown, Frederick Charles William	Auckland.	979.	Martis, Henry Thomas	Wanganui.
938.	Buchanan, Edward Barnaby	Auckland.	927.	Maslin, Stanley	Eltham.
549.	Burgess, William John	Frankton Junction.	74.	Matheson, Alexander John	Auckland.
688.	Casey, Denis James	Wellington.	962.	Mattson, Wilbert Alfred	Auckland.
20.	Colley, Stanley	Devonport.	249.	McFarlane, Andrew John	Dunedin.
941.	Cooper, Frank	Wellington.	452.	McGuire, Thomas	Onehunga.
503.	Cooper, Thomas Henry	Dunedin.	71.	McInnes, Andrew Walker	Hikurangi.
939.	Corin, George	Auckland.	961.	McIntyre, Francis Donald	Auckland.
940.	Cotter, Richard Joseph	Wellington.	915.	Miller, John Thomas	Waipawa.
891.	Cremen, David	Auckland.	963.	Mills, Charles Henry Thomas	Grey Lynn.
145.	Crowther, Robert Ormond	Wellington.	722.	Mills, Ephraim	Auckland.
325.	Cruickshank, Oliver Desmond	Hastings.	964.	Montgomery, Samuel James	Napier.
502.	Cusack, Thomas Joseph	Auckland.	594.	Montgomery, Thomas W.	Wellington.
942.	Darnborough, Mark	Auckland.	160.	Morris, Ernest Newton	Wellington.
943.	Densem, George	Tauranga.	598.	Nixon, William Charles	New Plymouth.
944.	Dick, Robert	Dunedin.	912.	Norman, Leonard Victor	Auckland.
233.	Douglas, Andrew McFadgen	Dunedin.	192.	O'Connell, Thomas	Christchurch.
945.	Dray, William Alfred M.	Cambridge.	965.	O'Connor, Arthur Vincent	Timaru.
380.	Dudding, Horace Stanley	Lower Hutt.	966.	Ogden, Augustus George	Auckland.
930.	Duncan, John Gow	Gore.	599.	Osborne, John Alfred Charles	Auckland.
913.	Eddy, William Edward	Napier.	967.	Parrott, John George Victor	Temuka.
890.	Elliott, James Alexander Joseph	Wellington.	968.	Patterson, George Frankton	Auckland.
946.	Empson, Ernest Alfred	Christchurch.	426.	Patterson, Louis William	Hastings.
893.	England, Matthew Thomas	Auckland.	872.	Perry, Albert John	Hastings.
947.	Exeter, Thomas John, jun.	Napier.	603.	Piercy, Edward James	Petone.
948.	Feely, James	Geraldine.	849.	Prestney, William John	New Plymouth.
894.	Fellingham, Arthur Ernest	Wellington.	191.	Price, William Westcott	Christchurch.
910.	Ferguson, Francis Charles	Waipawa.	767.	Pye, George	Masterston.
929.	Ferguson, Robert Cleland	Gore.	571.	Robb, Peter Roddy	Dunedin.
245.	Fisher, Walter John	Dunedin.	908.	Roper, Walter	Martinborough
445.	Fletcher, Richard Angus	Auckland.	903.	Ross, Robert Thomas Smith	Palmerston North.
811.	Fogarty, Martin Joseph	Auckland.	572.	Russell, James	Mornington.
516.	Foster, Walter	Dunedin.	416.	Russell, Thomas Spencer	Waimate.
814.	Fowler, Edward	Auckland.	622.	Schofield, Herbert J.	Auckland.
933.	Galbraith, Malcolm	Devonport.	969.	Scott, Edward	Dunedin.
456.	Galloway, Neil David	Auckland.	970.	Sentch, Vincent	Auckland.
264.	Given, Frederick James	Dunedin.	971.	Seymour, George William	Napier.
711.	Grant, Ernest Samuel	Whakatane.	923.	Sidon, Alfred	Oamaru.
687.	Grant, Leonard	Mangere.	926.	Smart, Allan Kiddie	New Plymouth.
949.	Grattan, Thomas Arthur	Te Aroha.	972.	Smith, Bertie	Auckland.
950.	Gunson, William	Te Kuiti.	973.	Smith, Thomas Frederick	Timaru.
951.	Gwilliam, Henry Benjamin	Featherston.	974.	Spencer, Joseph Alan	Auckland.
952.	Hall, Frederick Benjamin	Hamilton.	219.	Starkey, John Pierce	Dunedin.
922.	Hamilton, Frederick John	Oamaru.	627.	Stevens, Charles Samuel Pillar	Auckland.
553.	Hammon, Thomas Edwin	Christchurch.	975.	Stratford, Matthew	Wellington.
865.	Harding, Arthur	Gisborne.	476.	Stubbs, James	Auckland.
917.	Harrison, Frederick William	Wellington.	677.	Taylor, Thomas	Nelson.
953.	Harrison, Henry Alex. Holder	Auckland.	646.	Tattersall, Herbert Archibald	Auckland.
541.	Hebden, Edward	Auckland.	412.	Thompson, Thomas Charles	Whangarei.
1001.	Heinz, Emil Philip	Greymouth.	899.	Tisnman, Ernest	Auckland.
823.	Hobson, Walter Albert	Auckland.	732.	Townsend, Daniel James	Parnell.
471.	Hodge, Harold Stanley	Auckland.	914.	Tuffnell, Albert Rainbow	Nelson.
885.	Honour, Walter Henry	Napier.	44.	Waite, James	Auckland.
			654.	Waite, James Norman	Thames.
			337.	Wakefield, Henry Robert	Timaru.
			250.	Westwood, Balfour Horsburgh	Dunedin.
			183.	Wilkinson, Thomas	St. Albans.
			98.	Williams, Arthur Norman	Wellington.
			976.	Williams, Oliver	Dannevirke
			172.	Wilson, Charles	Wanganui.
			858.	Wilson, James	Dunedin.
			977.	Winterbourn, Leslie	Christchurch.
			999.	Yarrow, Albert James	Rotorua.
			978.	Young, Ernest Alfred	Napier.

Limestone Island Cement Workers—Recommendations of Conciliation Council.

In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of an industrial dispute between the Limestone Island Cement Employees' Industrial Union of Workers and the New Zealand Portland Cement Company (Limited), (carrying on business for the manufacture of cement and hydraulic lime at Limestone Island, Whangarei).

THE following recommendations of the Conciliation Council appointed to hear the above dispute are published pursuant to subsection (4) of section 43 of the Industrial Conciliation and

Arbitration Act Amendment Act, 1908, and number 34 of the regulations thereunder.

Dated at Auckland, this 4th day of March, 1914.

O. E. BOWLING,
Clerk of Awards.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Hours of Work.

1. (a.) THE actual working-time per week shall not exceed forty-seven hours.
- (b.) The actual working-time per day shall not exceed eight hours and a half for the first five working-days of the week, and four hours and a half on Saturday.
- (c.) Work shall not commence earlier than 7.30 a.m. and cease at 4.45 p.m., and three-quarters of an hour shall be allowed for dinner, except on Saturday, when work shall cease at noon.
- (d.) Where shifts are worked the shift's work shall not exceed eight hours per day, inclusive of crib-time.

Overtime.

2. (a.) In case of shift-men they shall be paid at the rate of time and a quarter if required to continue work after completion of their ordinary shift, and in cases of emergency it shall be competent for the company to start its men at an earlier hour than that provided for in this award, providing that after eight hours (inclusive of crib-time) have been worked it shall be considered as overtime and paid for at overtime rates.

(b.) The above clause (a) shall not apply when workers arrange to work double shifts or overtime for the convenience of their fellow-workers.

No shift-man shall absent himself from work without lawful excuse, and no worker shall take the place of another worker without having first obtained the permission of whoever for the time being is in charge of the department affected.

(c.) All time worked beyond hours herein prescribed shall be paid for as overtime at the rate of time and a quarter until midnight, and thereafter until the usual starting-time at the rate of time and a half.

Holidays.

3. All work done on Sundays shall be paid for as overtime work at the rate of time and a half. All work done on New Year's Day, Boxing Day, Christmas Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Easter Saturday, and the recognized Labour Day for the Auckland Province shall be paid for at double the time rates.

Rates of Wages.

4. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages to be paid to the several classes of workers hereinafter specified, that is to say,—

	s.	d.	
Rotary burners at present in the employ of the company	11	0	per shift.
Rotary burners—subsequent employees to start at	10	0	„
Stone-driers	9	6	„
Firemen	9	6	„
Trimmers	9	0	„
Clinkermen	9	0	„
Coal-driers	9	0	„
Greasers	9	0	„
Turbine-room	9	0	„
Fitters' labourers, blacksmiths', strikers', carpenters' labourers	9	0	„
Feeding crusher	10	0	per day.
General labourers	8	6	„
Shovelling crushed stone to elevator	1	0½	per hour.
Drawing lime-kilns and wheeling to crusher	1	1½	„
Cleaning boilers	1	3	„
Combustion chambers, rotary chambers, and economizers	1	3	„
Bagging cement	9	0	per shift.
Bagging lime	9	0	„
Quarrymen	9	6	per day.
Men working drills	9	9	„
Bracemen, winchmen, and men handling white limestone	9	4	„

Discharging and Loading Boats—

(a.) Where workers are engaged discharging and loading boats other than coal or white-lime barges the rate of pay shall not be less than 1s. 6d. per hour. No overtime rates to apply to this clause.

(b.) Youths' wages to be fixed and their work defined by mutual agreement between the union and employers.

Men being sent Home.

5. In the event of men coming to work and being sent home through there being no work through no fault of their own, they shall be allowed one hour, at 1s. 6d. per hour, unless previously notified. Where shift-men are allowed to load boats payment shall commence when work starts.

Tools.

6. All tools shall be supplied by the employer.

Meals.

7. Thirty minutes shall be allowed for crib-time. Where two or more men are employed in the same department they shall not have crib simultaneously.

Accommodation.

8. Fresh water shall be provided for drinking and washing purposes.

The employers shall provide the workers with (a) a bathroom suitably equipped; (b) proper accommodation to enable workers to change their clothes and have their meals; (c) proper sanitary accommodation.

Proper heating-apparatus shall be installed to dry workers' clothes, and boiling water shall be provided in time for workers' meals, and also for the purpose of washing workers' clothes.

Transfer.

9. Any worker temporarily engaged in any line of work other than in which he is commonly engaged shall be paid the wage prevailing in that branch to which he is temporarily transferred: Provided always that in no case shall the wage be less than he is entitled to in his usual work.

Disputes.

10. (a.) If any dispute arises in connection with this agreement between the representatives of the company and workers, such dispute may be settled by mutual agreement between the management and the union representatives. In the event of no agreement being arrived at the dispute shall be referred to the Conciliation Commissioner, whose decision shall be final.

(b.) Any matter not provided for in this award may be adjusted by written agreement between the employers concerned and the union representatives.

(c.) No worker shall be employed below the minimum rate except by permit of the union.

Preference.

11. (a.) In all cases when the company is engaging hands during the term of this award it shall be the duty of the company to inform every new worker that the employer and workers at Limestone Island are working under an award, and that such worker is required to become a member of the union within a period of fourteen days, and must pay an entrance fee not exceeding 5s. within that time, together with subsequent contributions not exceeding 6d. per week, payable fortnightly, and in all respects properly comply with the rules of the union.

(b.) If the company hereafter engages any worker who does not become and remain a member of the union within fourteen days the company shall dismiss such worker if requested to do so by the union. The company undertakes to include in its pay-roll only financial members of the Limestone Island Cement Employees' Industrial Union of Workers.

(c.) No official of the company shall be a member of the union.

Accidents.

12. A modern first-aid outfit, fully equipped, shall be kept in a convenient and accessible place.

Term of Award.

13. This award shall come into force on the 9th day of February, 1914, and shall extend until the 9th day of February, 1917.

T. HARLE GILES, Commissioner.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 9th March, 1914.
NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections having been forfeited by resolution of the Taranaki Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.	Reason for Forfeiture.
6	XI	Mahoe	W. L. Oldman	O.R.P. 803	Selector's request.
6	V	Huiroa	H. C. S. Boulcott	R.L. (L. for S.) 33	"

W. F. MASSEY,
 Minister of Lands

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Invercargill, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m. on Friday, 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TOWN OF LUMSDEN.

Suburban Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.		Upset Price.			
		A.	R.	£	s.	d.	
6, 7, and 9 (grouped)	XXVI	4	0	3	8	0	9
10, 11, 12, 13	"	4	0	0	8	0	0
6, 7, 8, 9, 10	XXVIII	5	0	0	10	0	0

Flat land, subject to floods. Soil on shingle interspersed with some old flood channels.

Terms of Sale.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void. Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Southland Land District for License by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Invercargill, 4th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SUBDIVISIONS A and B, being part of Section 132, Blocks III and IV, Forest Hill Hundred, and Section 5, Blocks VI and VII, Lindhurst Hundred, Southland County, Class B (Otago University Endowment). Area, 5,847 acres; term, fourteen years from 1st April, 1915; upset annual rental, £65; possession 1st April, 1915.

The following provisional valuation of improvements is published for the information of intending purchasers, but must be taken as approximate only, as the final valuation has to be made in accordance with Section 244 of the Land Act, 1908, at least three months before the expiry of the present license.

New dwellinghouse, shed, wool-shed, subdivisonal and boundary fences, all valued at £800.

Description of Run.

The total area of the run is 5,847 acres, of which 1,150 acres are undrained swamp land abutting on the Hedgehope, College, and Titipua Streams; this is capable of improvement by draining; 1,050 acres are undulating, ploughable downs in tussock, and the balance of the area, some 3,647 acres, consists of gravelly downs in fern and stunted manuka.

There is ample access, but most of the streams are unbridged, and the homestead is situated four miles from Hedgehope Railway-station, mostly by gravelled road.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Otago Land District for License by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Dunedin, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 11 o'clock a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block I, Kaitangata Survey District, Bruce County (Class B); area, 139 acres 3 roods 30 perches; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £2 10s.

Run 424B, Southland County (Class B); area, 2,780 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £25; valuation for improvements, £272.

Run 515, Tuapeka County (Class A); area, 4,550 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £140; valuation for improvements, £223 4s.

Possession will be given on day of sale.

Locality and Description of Runs.

Section 7, Block I, Kaitangata District.—Sited about four miles from the Town of Milton. Land mostly in poor bush, somewhat steep and broken, and with a southerly aspect.

Run 424B.—Sited about twenty miles from Waikaia, near the head of the Waikaia River. Access partly by road and partly by unformed track. Formerly bush country, now well grassed, but unsafe in winter. General elevation about 2,000 ft.

Run 515.—Sited near Coal Creek, about five miles from the Town of Roxburgh, from which place the run has access by the main road and also by an unformed stock-road. The country is mostly summer country, the greater part being at an altitude of 800 ft. to 4,500 ft. above sea-level, and is well grassed and watered. The run has a good easterly aspect, and is sheltered from the south-west wind. Fenced as shown on plan.

E. H. WILMOT,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in the Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 2nd March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 18th day of June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAREI COUNTY.—MAUNGA-TAPERE PARISH.

3 acres (approx.) adjoining Section 129.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 1st day of May, 1914, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SUBURBS OF ROTORUA.—SUB-DIVISION OF SECTION 22.

3 acres 3 roods 36.1 perches.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	0 1 0	10 0 0	10	0 0 31.8	10 0 0
3	0 1 0	10 0 0	11	0 1 14.6	10 0 0
4	0 1 0	7 0 0	*16	0 1 0	7 0 0
5	0 1 0	7 0 0	21	0 1 0	7 0 0
6	0 1 0	7 0 0	22	0 1 0	7 0 0
7	0 1 0	7 0 0	24	0 1 3.7	10 0 0
8	0 1 0	7 0 0	25	0 1 26	10 0 0
9	0 1 0	7 0 0			

* Weighted with £3 15s. for fencing.

Locality and Description.

These lots adjoin the racecourse, and are situated about half a mile from the Post-office, Rotorua. Two lots front Fenton Street, four lots have a frontage to the Rotorua-Wairoa-Maketu Road, and the others front Ti Street. The lots are good level building-sites, with sandy soil.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. Term of lease: Twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental to be determined by revaluation in accordance with the provisions of the First Schedule of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

2. Valuation for substantial improvements of a permanent character secured to the lessee in terms of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1911.

3. Rents are payable half-yearly, in advance, to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Auckland; the first half-yearly payment, with lease fee (£1 ls.) and valuation for improvements (if any), to be made on the fall of the hammer.

4. Sections to be improved within one year from the date of the lease to the value of at least ten times the annual rental.

5. No lease to be assigned, underlet, or the possession thereof parted with except with the consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

6. All rates, taxes, charges, and assessments whatsoever to be paid by the lessee.

7. The lessee will throughout the term of the lease keep and maintain in good order, condition, and repair, to the satisfaction of the Resident Officer, Rotorua, all buildings, structures, fixtures, and fences which may be erected or placed upon the land.

8. The lessee shall not erect any building until the plan of the same has been first submitted to the Resident Officer or local authority, Rotorua, for approval, and duly approved.

The reserves are described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description. Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 17th day of April, 1914, for a lease for ten years of the undermentioned land, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OTAMATEA COUNTY.—WAIRAU PARISH.

Section	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
S. 134 and S.E. 135	81 0 0	4 0 0

Situated on main Waipu-Maungaturoto Road, two miles and a half from Maungaturoto. All undulating land, covered with tea-tree scrub and bush tea-tree. Fairly well watered by springs.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The lease shall be for grazing purposes only, and shall be for the term stated, but subject to resumption by six months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Crown.

2. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements put on the land or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.

3. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

4. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of all noxious weeds on the land, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

5. The lessee shall not be entitled to cut or make use of any timber on the land, and shall take all reasonable steps to preserve such timber from destruction by fire or otherwise.

6. The lessee shall discharge all rates, taxes, charges, and other assessments that may become due and payable.

7. Rental payments in arrear for two calendar months shall render the lease liable to termination; or a breach of covenant in the lease, expressed or implied, shall entitle the Crown to re-enter and determine the lease.

8. Lessee must provide accommodation for travelling stock at specified rates.

9. Tenders to be endorsed on the outside "Tender for Lease," and to be accompanied by the first half-year's rent, at the rate tendered, and lease fee (£1 ls.).

10. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Land in Hauraki Mining District, Auckland Land District, for License.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for license under the regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands in Hauraki Mining District, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 27th April, 1914. The ballot for the land, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 27th April, 1914. Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—THAMES COUNTY.—THAMES SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block IX, 358 acres.

Formerly part of timber reserve. Undulating land. When cleared will make good sheep-country. About five miles from Puriri on Neavesville Road.

Term of License.

Term twenty-one years, with conditional right of renewal. All applications are subject to the approval of the Land Board.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 3rd March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned lands will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 6th May, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
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Wanganui County.—Mataroa Village Settlement.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
26	1 2 39	1 0 0	7 years.

Situated half a mile from Mataroa Railway-station by formed and metalled dray-road. Comprises a round knob, with easy slopes. Soil is a good loam, on papa formation.

Waimarino County.—Horopito West Township.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
9	0 1 0	2 0 0	7 years.

Situated in Main Street, about a quarter of a mile from the railway-station by metalled road. Flat land, in grass, with soil of a light volcanic nature, on grit and shingle formation. Elevation, about 2,460 ft. above sea-level.

Eketahuna County.—Brownston Township.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
8	0 2 30	0 11 0	7 years.

Situated in Brownston Township, about 20 chains from Hukanni Railway-station. Flat land; grassed, stumped, and logged. Soil is of fair quality, on shingle formation.

Rangitikei County.—Maungakaretu Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
1	15 1 0	3 16 0	7 years.

Situated at junction of Murray's Track with the Rongo-iti Road, about three miles distant from Mataroa. Section is a natural clearing, and consists of rough broken land in native grass, with patches of flax. Soil is a light brown loam, on papa formation. Elevation ranges from about 1,700 ft. to 1,800 ft. above sea-level.

Kiwaita County.—Apti Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
91	50 0 0	15 0 0	14 years.

Situated on Otamakapua Road, about three miles from Kimbolton. Undulating grassed land, with soil of good quality—a strong loam, on shingle formation. The forest has been cleared, but scrub is appearing in one or two places.

Oroua County.—Bunnythorpe Township.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
1260	1 0 24	1 5 0	7 years.

Situated about a mile from the Bunnythorpe Railway-station. Flat and easy sloping land; grassed and fenced. Soil is of fair quality, on clay and shingle formation.

Kiwaita County.—Rangiwahia Township.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
84	1 0 0	1 0 0	7 years.

Situated in Rangiwahia Township, fronting Otamakapua Road. Suitable for grazing purposes.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
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Pohangina County.—Umutoi Village.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
5	6 0 3	2 8 0	5 years.
16	0 1 7	0 3 0	5 "
4, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 21	6 2 20	2 16 0	Year to year.

Umutoi Village is situated at the junction of the Umutoi and Apiti-Norsewood Roads, about nine miles from Apiti. Flat or easy sloping land; fairly well watered.

Rangitikei County.—Ohinewairua Survey District.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
94	0 1 27	1 10 0	5 years.

Situated about a mile north of Taihape Post-office, fronting a metalled road. Undulating land, in grass.

Pahiatua County.—Township of Makuri.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Term.
56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, & 73	3 3 38	5 10 0	5 years.

Situated in Makuri Township, about twenty miles from Pahiatua by metalled road. Flat and sloping land; felled and grassed, and irregularly fenced.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.
4. The leases shall be for the term specified.
5. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbrier, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 3rd March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments, either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for renewable lease, at the option of the applicant; and applications will be received at this office, and at the local Lands and Survey Office, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 22nd April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIAPU COUNTY.—MANGAOPORO SURVEY DISTRICT.—PART OF WHAKAANGI-ANGI BLOCK.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3	IV	521 0 0	6,500 0 0	162 10 0	130 0 0
Weighted with £390, valuation for improvements.					
4	IV	661 0 0	7,780 0 0	194 10 0	155 12 0

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values are as follows:—

Section 3.—334 chains of fencing, and sheep-dip, draining-pens, mixer, and yards, of a total value of £325 10s.

Section 4.—236 chains of fencing, valued at £177.

The improvements which are not included in the capital value, but which must be paid for in cash, consist of:—

Section 3.—Nine-roomed house, washhouse, dairy, men's whare, and loosebox, the whole valued at £390.

DESCRIPTION.

Section 3.—Originally all covered with heavy mixed bush, but has all been felled, cleared, and laid down in the best English grasses; good soil, resting on papa and marly clay subsoil; land lies well, and general aspect is good; comprises partly flat and undulating land and partly easy slopes. Situated on the Taurangakautuku River, about nine miles from Te Araroa Township.

Section 4.—Originally covered with heavy mixed bush, but has all been cleared and sown with best mixed English grasses, with exception of about 60 acres still remaining in bush, which gives good shelter for stock; good soil, resting on papa and marly clay subsoil; land lies well, and general aspect is good. The section comprises partly flat land and hill country. Situated on the Taurangakautuku River, about nine miles from the Te Araroa Township by a good full-width dray-road.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 22nd December, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

WAIPA County, Waipa Parish: Section 45, 9 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Land in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 19th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

BLOCK XI, Mapara Survey District.—Part Township Reserve, Tangitu: Area, 53 acres (approximate).

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 22nd December, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th March, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

AN estimated area of 1 acre at the southern extremity of Section 11, Block I, Upper Taieri Survey District.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

National Endowment Land in Southland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 2nd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—JACOB'S RIVER HUNDRED.

Second-class Land (National Endowment).

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
32 & 33	XVIII	36 3 14	20	0 0	0	8 0

Weighted with £1 12s. valuation for ditching and scrubbing. Land all flat and swampy; soil peaty, with heavy vegetable subsoil; situation fair; fronts Riverton—Orepuki railway-line. Distance from Colac Railway-station, school, and post and telegraph office, one mile; and distant from Riverton six miles.

The valuation for improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful at the ballot.

Terms of lease may be seen, forms of application obtained, and full particulars ascertained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Tautari Village, Auckland Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 23rd March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WEST TAUPO COUNTY.—TAUTARI VILLAGE.

First-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
11	1 0 0	10	0 0	0	4 6

Weighted with £37 for improvements, consisting of small iron house 24 ft. by 12 ft., and 17 chains fencing.

Altitude, about 250 ft. above sea-level. Level land, in old grass. Soil light loam, of medium quality; no water on section. Distant fourteen miles from Kihikihi by formed cart-road.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Spotswood Settlement, Taranaki Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 14th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction on deferred payments at this office on Tuesday, 17th March, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TARANAKI COUNTY.—PARITUTU SURVEY DISTRICT.—SPOTSWOOD SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	
27	IV	2	1	8	80	0	0	
107								
30								
34			1	1	15	80	0	0
31			1	1	5	90	0	0
32			1	0	32	80	0	0
33			1	1	12	90	0	0
37			1	0	26	50	0	0
101			0	1	0	30	0	0
102			0	1	0	30	0	0

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

These sections are situated in the northern part of the Spotswood Settlement, about two miles and a half from New Plymouth, and half to three-quarters of a mile from the Breakwater (Port of New Plymouth). Sections 30 and 34 comprise gently rising and undulating land, about three-quarters being in old grass, the remainder at the back being in furze and lupin. Sections 31 and 32 comprise easy slopes on the immediate frontages, falling somewhat steeply to the Hongihongi Stream; all in grass. Section 33 is fairly flat on frontage, rises slightly to the south-east, and then falls steeply to the Hongihongi Stream; all in grass. About two-thirds of Section 37 towards the front is gently rising land in oat stubble and coarse grass, the remainder being furze and fern intermixed with grass, &c. Sections 101 and 102 comprise broken sloping land, in rough grass, fern, and scattered furze. Sections 27 and 107 consist of somewhat steeply falling rough grass land, with fern and lupin; about half the frontage of Section 107 is flat. The soil of the sections is generally good, being generally a sandy loam on a kind of free-clay formation.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right to cut and remove the timber on the undermentioned Crown lands will be offered for sale by public auction in one lot at this office at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 19th March, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Sections 26, 31, and 33, Block V, Karioi Survey District.—
Area of Milling-timber, about 460 Acres.

(This lot is situated to the south-east and south of Rangataua Township and Village Settlement, and has a frontage to the railway, near the Rangataua Station).

Timber.	Estimated Quantity, in Sup. Feet.	Upset Price.
Matai	880,000	£ s. d. 1,840 0 0
Rimu, miro	1,170,000	
Kahikatea	713,000	
Beech	524,000	
Total	3,287,000	

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Timber Regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions, and may contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown or of the public.

2. The quantities of the various timbers set forth in the above Schedule are approximate only, and are furnished for the information of intending purchasers, who are expected, previous to the sale, to make their own estimates of the quantities. No contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the licensee be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

3. The successful bidder shall purchase the whole of the timber, and shall, on the fall of the hammer, pay in cash a deposit of 10 per centum of the amount bid, together with £1 ls. license fee, and shall also deposit eight promissory notes, each for one-eighth of the balance of purchase-money, each payable on demand, and endorsed by two persons to be approved by the Commissioner. These promissory notes will be presented, the first at an interval of nine months from the date of sale, and the others at subsequent intervals of six months, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if more than a due proportion of timber is found to be cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Commissioner the interest of the Crown is jeopardized.

4. The purchaser shall have the right to cut and remove all timber on the lands comprised in the license during a period of five years from the date of sale, subject, however, to the condition that all the milling-timber on Section 33 is cut and removed within a period of two years from the date of sale, at the end of which period the Crown will resume full possession of Section 33, and the licensee's right to mill thereon shall cease and be determined. The license shall be only for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land.

5. The timber shall be cut in a face, and the Crown reserves the right of following up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time will have been cleared of milling-timber. Sufficient timber shall be left for fencing and general farming purposes.

6. The license shall be subject to any rights of tramway, or of water-races, &c., already granted or that may hereafter be granted over the lands comprised therein; and the Land Board may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines by other persons than the licensee.

7. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, water-course, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other saw-mill refuse.

8. If the timber is unsold at auction the right to cut it at the upset price will remain open for application until further notice.

9. The lot will be sold generally in accordance with the area and boundaries as shown on the sale map at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

10. No compensation will be given nor shall any be claimed for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of this lot or in these conditions.

Full particulars may be ascertained and copies of the Timber Regulations obtained at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 26th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 30th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section 23, Block I, Kongahu Survey District.

13 acres 2 roods.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Westland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 29th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, 7th May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL those areas formerly reserved for railway purposes and declared to be Crown lands by Proclamation dated 4th day of March, 1913, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 19, of 6th March, 1913, page 756, as follows:—

All that area (save and except any land at present occupied by the Greymouth-Otira Railway) in Otira and Turiwhate Survey Districts, containing about 1,064 acres, more or less, commencing at the Taipo River and extending along the southern side of the Teremakau Valley to the Otira River, a distance of 13 miles 26 chains, and having a width of 10 chains.

Also all that area in Turiwhate and Kanieri Survey Districts, containing 436 acres, more or less, commencing at a point on the boundary of Native Reserve No. 30 on the north side of Kawhaka Creek; thence along the Kawhaka Valley to the summit of the saddle; thence down the Waimea Valley and along the northern slopes of Mount Turiwhate to Rangariri Creek, and continuing along the south side of the Teremakau Valley to the Taipo River, a distance of 18 miles 12 chains, and having a width of 3 chains.

Also all that area in Waimea Survey District, containing 24 acres, more or less, commencing at a point on the southern boundary of Native Reserve No. 30, the same being at the intersection of the railway and road reserve along the coast, and extending southerly and easterly to the southern boundary of Native Reserve No. 30, a distance of one mile, and having of a width of 3 chains.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32681, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow, red, and green respectively.

H. D. M. HASZARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 23rd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—BUCKLEY TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price.
		A.	R.	P.	
1	VI	0	1	0	£ 75
2	"	0	1	0	100
3	"	0	1	0	50
4	"	0	1	0	80
5	"	0	1	0	50
6	"	0	1	0	80
7	"	0	1	0	50
8	"	0	1	0	80
9	"	0	1	0	50
10	"	0	1	0	80
11	"	0	1	0	50
12	"	0	1	0	80
13	"	0	1	0	50
14	"	0	1	0	80
15	"	0	1	0	50
16	"	0	1	0	80
17	"	0	1	0	50
18	"	0	1	0	80
19	"	0	1	0	100

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 13th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act and its amendments on or after Thursday, the 16th day of April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Matamata County.—Putaruru Village.

SECTION 11, Block V: 1 rood 9 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Lands in Otago Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 19th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CATLIN'S SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
61	IV	312	1	24
6	VI	208	1	0
20	VIII	110	0	2

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 19th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT COUNTY.—CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
20	IX	7	1	20

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 20, Pakiri Parish, 53 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—MAKARA COUNTY.—BELMONT SURVEY DISTRICT.—PAPARANGI SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value			Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
31	XII	6	0	0	300	0	0	6	15	0

Weighted with £231 for improvements, consisting of a four-roomed house with two brick chimneys, washhouse, stable, fowlhouses, about 36 chains of fencing, excavations, and tracks.

Situated on the Aurora Road, the access being from the Johnsonville Railway-station, which is about one mile distant by good metalled dray-road. Easy undulating land in grass, with good homestead-site near road-frontage. Soil is of good quality on rotten-rock formation. Elevation ranges from about 600 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs in Hawke's Bay Land District for Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 14th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-runs are open for lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 2nd April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIROA COUNTY.—MAUNGAHARURU AND PUKETAPO SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Second-class Pastoral Land.

Run No.	Area.			Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
102	2,390	0	0	4,690	0	0	93	16	0
103	3,000	0	0	4,420	0	0	88	8	0
104	3,050	0	0	4,090	0	0	81	16	0
105	3,830	0	0	6,230	0	0	124	12	0
106	1,370	0	0	3,250	0	0	65	0	0

DESCRIPTION OF RUNS.

Run 102. Altitude from about 700 ft. to 1,800 ft. Hilly and undulating pastoral country with big flats along the Esk River, growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu, with some improved bush along the western boundary; intersected by deep gorge streams; generally light soil; well watered; plenty of dry totara on the ground for fencing, &c.; about 220 acres of burnt areas sown in grass this season. Distant thirty-four miles from Napier—twenty-nine miles by dray-road, remainder by unformed road. The right to take timber required for bridges, &c., is reserved by the Crown.

Run 103. Altitude about 600 ft. to 1,700 ft. Comprises a sandstone ridge known as the Gorge Range running from

west to east, and breaking off to the north in cliffs with fair flats at the foot, and ridges and undulating land to the south, and big flats along the Esk River; about 100 acres of improved country suitable for a homestead-site in the north-west corner, growing manuka scrub and fern; generally light pumicy soil; fairly well watered; the north and south boundaries are stock-proof streams; about 310 acres of burnt areas sown down in grass this season. Distant thirty-two miles from Napier—twenty-nine miles by dray-road, remainder unformed road.

Run 104. Altitude from 800 ft. to 1,600 ft.; broken and undulating pastoral country growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu; generally light pumicy soil; well watered; intersected by deep gorge streams; fenced on the north boundary to the Ohurakura Stream; about 300 acres of the burnt area has been sown down in grass this season. Distant twenty-eight miles from Napier by coach-road.

Run 105. Altitude from 400 ft. to 1,300 ft.; hilly and undulating pastoral country with flats along the Esk River, Ohurakura Stream, and old Taupo Road, growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu, with a few small patches of light bush; the northern portion of the run is cut off from the southern portion on the road, where there is a good homestead-site, by a deep gorge, stock being able to cross only near the west boundary and about half a mile up from the Esk River; generally light pumicy soil; fairly well watered; about 12 acres sown down in grass this season. There is a small whare on the ground to the north-east of Trig P. Distant twenty-one miles from Napier, via the Esk River—eighteen miles by dray-road, remainder by pack-road till the new road is formed.

Run 106. Altitude from 150 ft. to 1,000 ft.; broken, hilly pastoral country with good flat for homestead-site on the north boundary road; growing manuka scrub both dwarf and tall variety, fern, and tutu, with native grass in patches; fair soil; fairly well watered. Distant eighteen miles from Napier by dray-road, via the Esk River.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

National Endowment Land in Horopito West Township, Wellington Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—HOROPITO WEST TOWNSHIP.

Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
11	V	0	2	0	45	0	0	1	2	6

Weighted with £10 10s. for improvements.

Situated in the Horopito West Township, the access being from the Horopito Station on the Main Trunk Railway, which is about a quarter of a mile distant by a formed and metalled road. All flat land, felled and in grass. Soil is of a fairly good volcanic nature, on shingle and grit formation. Elevation about 2,460 ft. above sea-level. The improvements comprise clearing and stumping and a shed.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ROTORUA COUNTY.—ROTOHII SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
3	IV	270	0	0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Southland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Education Reserves will be offered for lease by public auction for terms of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, at this office on Friday, the 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:—

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Wallace County.—Jacob's River Hundred.

Part	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
19	V	70	3	9	17	15	0

Weighted with £29 2s. 8d., valuation for fencing. Rich loamy soil. 50 acres cleared and cultivated; balance in bush. Situated four miles from school and five miles from dairy factory and railway.

Southland County.—Town of Dipton.

1 to 10	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1 to 10	XVI	42	1	7	19	0	0

Weighted with £78, valuation for cottage and fencing. Good warm soil, all under cultivation. Situated a quarter of a mile from school and one mile from Dipton Railway-station.

Southland County.—Mabel Hundred.

35	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
35	II	58	3	0	29	7	6

Weighted with £52 10s., valuation for fencing. Flat land, all under cultivation. Situated two miles and a half from Woodlands Railway-station, dairy factory, and school by gravel road.

Southland County.—Waikaka Survey District.

14	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
14	VIII	13	3	30	2	2	0

Swampy land, in its natural state. Situated six miles from Mataura by metal road.

Southland County.—Wyndham Survey District.

4 and 5	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
4 and 5	X	439	0	25	11	18	0

Weighted with £33 12s., valuation for rabbit-proof fencing. Hilly land covered with bush. Situated four miles from Glenham.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Possession will be given on the 1st May, 1914, and the term of the lease will commence from the 1st July, 1914.
2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between the 1st May, 1914, and the 30th June, 1914, lease and registration fees, and valuation for improvements to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee.
5. No assignment or sublease without consent.
6. Lessee to improve the land and keep it clear of all weeds.

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7. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.

8. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any building, or effecting other improvements.

9. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.

10. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands at Hanmer Springs, Canterbury Land District, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 2nd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of forty-two years at the County Council Office, Culverden, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AMURI COUNTY.—LYNDON SURVEY DISTRICT.—HANMER SPRINGS RESERVE.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.
		A.	R.	P.	
13	II	18	3	25	£ 3 16 0
15	"	14	2	25	2 18 0

These sections are situated about one mile from the Hanmer Post-office by good road. The improvements, which do not go with the sections, but which must be paid for separately, consist of: Section 13—32 chains of fencing, valued at £13 14s.; Section 15—31½ chains of fencing, gate, and drain, valued at £16 15s.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A deposit of a half-year's rent, together with £1 1s. lease fee, and the amount of valuation for improvements, if any, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Possession will be given on day of sale, or on approval by the Land Board of the application.
3. The leases will be for a term of forty-two years.
4. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free of all deductions whatsoever; and if not paid within twenty-one days after due date the lessor may re-enter upon the land and determine the lease.
5. The lessee shall have no right to mortgage, sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth or spread of gorse, broom, sweetbrier, and other noxious weeds or plants on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lessee shall not carry on, or permit to be carried on, upon the land or any part thereof, any noisy, noxious, or offensive trade or manufacture, or do or suffer to be done thereon any act or thing whatsoever which may be an annoyance to the lessor or to any other lessee in the neighbourhood.
9. In the event of the lessee, upon the expiry of the term, not again becoming the occupier of the land under a fresh lease, he shall be entitled to payment of valuation for all improvements which he shall have effected upon the land, so far as the same are existing and unexhausted.
11. The lessee shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements of a permanent character, within the meaning of section 2 of the Land Act, 1908, as follows:—
Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land;
Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land;
And thereafter, but within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land, and, in addition thereto, a value equal to £1 for every acre.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wanganui.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wanganui on the 26th day of March, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1914-6.]

A. H. MACKAY,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
239	Burnett MacBeth and Hogg (for applicants)	Kai Iwi No. 1.
240	Te Aohau Neketini and others	Pukenui No. 3.
241	Burnett MacBeth and Hogg (for applicants)	Raetihi No. 5B No. 3.
242	Henare Pumipi	Paranuiamata 5.

APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
243	Hinga Awatea Mata..	Reureu No. 1, Section 19, and other subdivisions	Applying to the Court for an injunction prohibiting a private lease from Moeroa Karatea to any person whom he may wish to offer such lease.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount of Survey Lien.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
244	The Chief Survey, Wellington District..	Awarua 3A 2E 3, Subdivision C	£ s. d. 5 16 0	4 February, 1914.
245	"	" 3A 2E 3, " B	18 5 6	4 " 1914.
246	"	" 3A 2E 3, " A	23 16 3	4 " 1914.
247	"	Arahaunu No. 1A	10 3 1	27 " 1914.
248	"	" No. 1B	24 1 3	27 " 1914.
249	"	" No. 1C	24 1 3	27 " 1914.
250	"	" No. 2	3 15 2	27 " 1914.
251	"	Maungakaretu 5B 2B 2E 1	11 7 8	27 " 1914.
252	"	" 5B 2B 2E 2	7 8 2	27 " 1914.
253	"	Purua A	5 2 2	27 " 1914.
254	"	" B	5 2 2	27 " 1914.
255	"	Omurihore 4B No. 1	9 11 4	28 " 1914.
256	"	" 4B No. 2	9 6 11	28 " 1914.
257	"	" 4B No. 3	14 4 6	28 " 1914.
258	"	Whakauruawaka A	5 18 3	27 " 1914.
259	"	" B	23 11 6	27 " 1914.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE NATIVE LANDS AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
295	Eruera Taniuha Sutherland	Applying to the Court for recommendation for the issue of an Order in Council, declaring the applicant a European.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 11th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 20th day of March, 1914, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1914-9.]

E. A. WELCH,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
312	Teo Hanita	Otawhao A No. 4, Subdivision 2.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
319	{ Tutua Kirita William Kinross White	Whakawiringa. Lot 21, Eastbourne Street, Hastings.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 12 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
320	Roera Tareha and others (A. L. D. Frazer)	Omahu 3D Sections 3B2A and 3B2B	For an order of the Court laying out a road-line over Omahu 4A, Section 1B2, and other sections so as to give access to the said land.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Palmerston North.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Palmerston North on the 24th day of March, 1914, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1914-8.]

E. A. WELCH,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Te Ara Orehua and others	Aorangi No. 1, Section 8.
2	P. H. Taipua and others	Himatangi 2A No. 7c.
3	Riripeti Ngamura	Haruatai Mill-site.
4	Miriamata Matakatea	Horowhenua XI B 41 North A No. 2.
5	Hone Reweti and others	Koputara.
6	Huirua Ngapaki	Ngarara West A, Section 31c.
7	Himiona te Oha	Piritaha No. 9c.
8	Te Ara Orehua	Sandon No. 149.
9	Ngaoka Penehira (Sandilands and Elliott)	Taonui-Ahuaturangi 1F No. 1A.
10	G. Cootes and others	Whakarangirangi No. 4B.
11	Hiria Peeti	Waikekeno 2B No. 6.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.	Name of Present Trustee.
45	Hori Cootes	Wahaotemarangai	Huria, Katarina, Rani- niera, and Rangi Cootes	James Cootes.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
46	Riria Peene (W. S. Park)	Horowhenua XI B 96, 1E, 1A	Kingi Kingi Wirihana and Nga- huia Kingi Wirihana.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
47	Tatiana Wiremu te Hiko and another (Sandilands and Elliott)	Ruera te Nuku.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
48	{ Maaka Pukehi Hemi Kupu Hawea	Katipiku 1A No. 1. " " No. 1c.
49	{ Piripi te Apatu Mohi Heremia Perenara Mohi Heremia	Ohau No. 3, Section 26B. " 3, " 11A.
50	{ Te Rohi Maaka Mohi Heremia Perenara Mohi Heremia	" 3, " 26B. " 3, " 11A.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF ADOPTION.

No.	Applicant.	Names of Parents of Child.	Name of Child.
51	Iharaira Hi	Matehaere Tukeka and Ria Perenara	Heni Matehaere.
52	"	Te Umu Miritana and Haviata te Umu	Te Rohe te Umu and Pohotiraha te Umu.

APPLICATION FOR ORDER OF THE COURT DIRECTING THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO PAY OUT CERTAIN MONEYS HELD BY HIM.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
53	Wikitoria Mohi Nopera (G. P. Wood)	Paekakariki No. 1, Sub-division 2	For an order of the Court directing the Public Trustee to pay out the sum of £31 5s. to the applicant.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
54	Chief Surveyor	Himatangi 2A7A No. 1	17 17 10
		" 2A7A No. 2	19 18 3
		" 2A No. 7B	4 5 7
		" 2A No. 7C	6 6 0
55	"	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 15	7 6 6
		" " 16, " 16	7 6 6
56	"	Katihiku No. 2B	9 2 6
		" No. 2c	4 11 0
57	"	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4d1 No. 3c, Section 1	6 12 3
		" " 4d1 No. 3c, " 2	12 4 10
		" " 4e3 No. 1A	12 14 10
		" " 4e3 No. 1B	6 10 4
		" " 4e3 No. 1C	18 13 6
		" " 4e3 No. 1D	24 1 8
58	"	" " 4e3 No. 1E	2 14 10
		" " 4e3 No. 1F	0 13 4
		" " 4e3 No. 1G	0 13 4
		" " 4e3 No. 1H	0 7 3
		" " 4e3 No. 1J	1 6 1
59	"	" " 4e4D No. 1	3 12 4
		" " 4e4D No. 2	8 14 5
60	"	Matakarapa No. 1	12 12 7
		" No. 2	15 15 6
		" No. 3	1 19 1
		" No. 4	21 19 11
		" No. 5	0 7 2
		" No. 6	31 1 4
		Muhunua 3ALE No. 1, Subdivision 12A	7 14 0
		" 3ALE No. 1, " 12B	7 12 6
61	"	" 3ALE No. 1, " 12C	14 0 8
		" 3ALE No. 1, " 12D	6 7 6
		" 3ALE No. 1, " 12E	7 1 3
		" 3ALE No. 1, " 12F	8 8 4
		" 3ALE No. 1, " 12G	5 4 0
62	"	" 3ALF No. 1	9 5 3
		" 3ALF No. 2	9 5 3
63	"	Ngarara West B No. 7, Subdivision 2A	8 4 11
		" " B No. 7, " 2B	8 4 11
		" " B No. 7, " 2C	8 4 11
64	"	Te Oroi No. 1	42 14 8
		" No. 2	83 14 6
65	"	Otaki, Town Sections 131 and 133A	4 11 6
		" " 131 and 133B	4 11 6
66	"	" " 177, 178, 179, 186, and 187	9 3 0
67	"	Pukehou No. 5L No. 1A	14 2 6
		" No. 5L No. 1B	14 2 6
68	"	Taumanuka 2A, Section 1	2 6 3
		" 2A, " 2	8 7 3
69	"	" 3B, " 1	4 6 3
		" 3B, " 2	6 7 10
70	"	" 3C, " 1	2 0 0
		" 3C, " 2	5 7 0
71	"	" 3D, " 1	4 5 11
		" 3D, " 2	4 6 0
72	"	" 3G, " 1	4 12 8
		" 3G, " 2	4 12 8
73	"	" 3H, " 1	4 12 8
		" 3H, " 2	4 12 8
74	"	Tuahiwi No. 42	5 16 6
75	"	Waiotetuta No. 2A	20 2 9
		" No. 2B	10 3 10
		" No. 2C	10 3 10
76	"	Waipoua A	30 10 6
		" B	30 10 6
77	"	Waitohu No. 1A	2 4 2
		" No. 1B No. 1	3 18 0
		" No. 1B No. 2	4 17 6
		" No. 1B No. 3	5 17 2

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

Meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board.

Wanganui, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board to be held at Wanganui on Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1914, at 10.30 a.m.

J. B. JACK,
President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	14/43	Lease ..	13 August, 1913 ..	Pakaraka 2C ..	Te Kuia Tauhiti and others to Norman Frederick Moore (Watt and Cohen).
2	14/44	" ..	19 February, 1914 ..	Awarua 4C No. 11 ..	Kathleen Hiraani Blake and another to Thomas Jackson Bennett (the Public Trustee).
3	14/45	" ..	18 .. 1914 ..	Awarua 3D3 No. 16B (part)	Te Whetu Wharawhara and others to Alfred William Bicknell (the Public Trustee).
4	14/46	" ..	18 .. 1914 ..	" ..	Te Whetu Wharawhara and others to John Collins (the Public Trustee).
5	14/47	Transfer ..	11 November, 1913 ..	Awarua 4C No. 10 (part)	Hoeroa Tiopira to Charles Henry Olsen (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
6	14/48	Lease ..	1 December, 1913 ..	Motukawa 2B No. 27 (part)	Ani Paki to Pango Pukutohe (G. Hutchison).
7	14/49	Grant of cutting rights ..	" ..	Raetihi 2B No. 3B ..	Ripeka te Peehi and another to Phillip McRae (G. Hutchison).
8	14/50	Transfer ..	5 September, 1913	Ratapihipihi D ..	Ihaia Porutu Puketapu to Peter Duncan McGregor (Bunny and Ayson).
9	14/51	" ..	6 .. 1913	Raorikia B ..	Rahera Hautukua to Emily Fortin4ton (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
10	14/54	" ..	23 February, 1914 ..	Mangatipona West E No. 1	Tiemi Kawana to John Samuel Watchorn (J. W. Rutherford).
11	14/55	" ..	23 October, 1913 ..	Subsection 1 of Section 29, Waitara West	Paranihi Rore and others to Robert James Matthews (Marshall and Hutton).
12	14/56	Mortgage ..	21 February, 1914 ..	Kai Iwi 5E No. 2 ..	Hikurangi Waaka Hakaraia to Gifford Marshall (Marshall and Hutton).
13	14/57	" ..	4 March, 1914 ..	Pakaraka 2B No. 1 ..	Te Ata Kahuri and others to William Morrison (Marshall and Hutton).
14	14/58	Transfer ..	17 February, 1914 ..	Ruatangata 1C No. 4 ..	Tahupotiki Ratana and others to Haimona Teki (Marshall and Hutton).
15	14/59	Lease ..	10 .. 1914 ..	Maraekowhai A 3A No. 4	Te Ngarurenga and others to Janet Brown Russell (Marshall and Hutton).
16	14/60	Transfer ..	5 February, 1914, and subsequent dates	Karaka C No. 2B ..	Rahera Hautukua and others to Winifred Glenn (Barnicoat, Treadwell, and Gordon).
17	14/61	" ..	21 February, 1914 ..	Timiwaitara No. 2 No. 2A	Henare Waitere to Mabel Glasgow (Barnicoat, Treadwell, and Gordon).
18	14/62	" ..	9 .. 1914 ..	Rakautaua 4C5 (part) ..	Ngawai Ngatapapa and others to Mabel Craig (Armstrong and Craig).
19	14/63	" ..	5 March, 1914 ..	Onetere 1A ..	Irihapeti Tarewa and others to William Henry Clapham (Armstrong and Craig).
20	14/64	Lease ..	6 .. 1914 ..	Taraketi 2o ..	Utiku Potaka to Emanuel Pickford (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
21	14/65	" ..	6 .. 1914 ..	Awarua 4C No. 9F (part)	Utiku Potaka to Henry Dargaville Bennett (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
22	14/66	Transfer ..	9 December, 1913	Rangiwaia 4F414D No. 2	Kahapa Warea and others to Alfred W. Ross (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
23	14/67	Lease ..	6 March, 1914 ..	Taraketi 2j ..	Haku Potaka to Emanuel Pickford (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
24	14/68	" ..	6 .. 1914 ..	Raetihi 2B3B ..	Ripeka te Peehi and another to Te Peehi Opetini (G. Hutchison).
25	14/69	" ..	6 .. 1914 ..	" 2B3C No. 1 ..	Ripeka te Peehi to John Chase (G. Hutchison).
26	14/70	" ..	6 .. 1914 ..	" 2B3C No. 1 ..	Ripeka te Peehi to Charles Edward Pederson (G. Hutchison).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
27	14/71	Grant of cutting rights	6 March, 1914 ..	Raetihi 2B3c No. 2 (part)	Rawakawa Perata to Charles Edward Pederson and others (G. Hutchison).
28	14/72	Lease ..	6 ,, 1914 ..	Ngapakihī I (I.) ..	Te Peehi te Opetini and others to Rangitopeora Chase (G. Hutchison).
29	14/73	Transfer ..	7 ,, 1914 ..	Kaiate 2A (part) ..	Merania Tumango te Ariki Maretua Takarangi (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).
30	14/74	..	7 ,, 1914 ..	Ruatangata 1B No. 1 ..	Rea Hapai to Michael Cavanagh (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas).

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR ORDER IN COUNCIL CONSENTING TO MORTGAGE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
31	14/57	Paharaha 2B No. 1	Te Ata Kahuri and others to William Morrison (Marshall and Hutton).

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hurakia B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 6th day of March, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Maori Lands for Sale by Public Tender.

Office of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, Auckland, 24th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations thereunder, that written tenders are invited and will be received at the office of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, Auckland, up to 5 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 24th March, 1914, for the purchase of the several lands named in the First Schedule hereto and conditions set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS FOR SALE.

Tainui and Tainui-Mimi Survey Districts.—Taranaki Land District.—Mohakatino-Parinihi 1c West Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks.

Lot.	Sub-division.	Survey District.	Area.			Class.	Upset Price per Acre.		
			A.	R.	P.		£	s.	d.
1	2	Tainui and Mimi	499	0	0	Second	2	15	0
Flat and hilly pastoral country; part light scrub and open along sea-coast; balance forest-covered; principally sandstone formation. There is also a small grass clearing at the north-eastern corner. Access by Main Mokau Road.									
2	4	Tainui and Mimi	975	0	0	Third	2	0	0
3	5	Ditto ..	736	0	0	..	1	15	0
4	6	..	594	0	0	..	1	12	6
Hilly pastoral country covered with fairly light forest. Access by Mohakatino Road. Some small flats, generally covered with manuka, and partly swampy along Mohakatino Road.									
5	7	Tainui and Mimi	963	0	0	Third	1	10	0
6	8	Ditto ..	744	0	0	..	1	10	0
7	9	..	433	0	0	..	1	10	0

Hilly pastoral country covered with fairly light forest, above. Access by Hutiwai Road, which is available for horse traffic to within about half a mile of the south-western corners of Subdivisions 7 and 9.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The Mohakatino-Parinihi 1c West Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks (Sections numbered 1 to 7 inclusive, in red) consists of hilly pastoral country close to the sea-coast; principally sandstone formation; forest-covered except a strip of open land and manuka scrub along the sea-coast.

The forest consists generally of tawa, kohekohe, karaka, tawhero, manuka, mahoe, with some black-birch and a little rata, rimu, &c., with usual undergrowth. The block is well watered everywhere.

The main Mokau Road runs through the block. The road is not metalled, but there is a daily coach and mail service from Waitara (distant 40 miles), and in the summer months a motor-car service runs as weather permits. The Mohakatino Road is formed 8 ft. wide up the Mohakatino Valley for the whole extent of the block.

The Mohakatino River is tidal up as far as the boundary between Sections 5 and 6, and is navigable for canoes and small-power boats for several miles. The north-west corner of the block is about four miles from Mokau (by the main road). There is a small wharf at Mokau, and a more or less regular steamer service from Waitara.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS.

1. Every tenderer to deposit along with his tender a sum equal to 5 per cent. of the tendered price, and to pay a further 5 per cent. on being declared the purchaser. The balance of the purchase-money to be paid in twenty equal half-yearly instalments.
2. The purchaser to pay interest on unpaid purchase-money at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Interest to be payable on the 1st July and 1st January of each year, and to date from the signing of contract of sale.
3. Tenders for purchase must be accompanied by a fee of £3 3s. to meet costs and expenses incidental thereon, together with the amount with which the section is loaded for improvements (if any).
4. Purchasers shall, at the end of five years, upon payment of balance of purchase-money, be entitled to a transfer of the fee-simple of the land.
5. Residence and improvements to conform with sections 250 to 257 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS.

1. The lands to be sold subject to reserve price specified in each case.
2. Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the President of the Board, and marked on the outside as follows: “Tender for purchase of Lot , Block , (No. , in red), in sale plan No. 30.”
3. If any person desires to tender for more than one lot, a separate tender for each lot must be made.
4. The highest tenderer to be declared the purchaser; but the Board reserves to itself the right to decline to accept any tender.

5. The successful purchaser will require to make declaration of qualification under the Native Land Act, 1909, within thirty days, to the effect that he is not the owner or occupier of 5,000 acres of third-class land, or its equivalent in other classes of land; every acre of first-class land being reckoned as 7½ acres, and every acre of second-class land being reckoned as 2½ acres.

6. The lands are offered under the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, and purchasers and lessees shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof, and be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS.

The lands are described for the general information of intending selectors, who are recommended, nevertheless, to

make a personal inspection, as the Board is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

Areas may be liable to slight alterations.

The figures in colour on detail plans correspond with those in the advertisement and on locality plan.

Tenders must be sent to the office of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, Auckland, and must be made on the proper forms, to be obtained at the office of the Board and at the post-offices in the locality of the land to be offered.

Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Under-Secretary for Native Affairs, Wellington, and at the office of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, Auckland.

W. H. BOWLER,
President, Waikato-Maniapoto District
Maori Land Board.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK ADAMSON, of Hamilton, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Thursday, the 12th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 4th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Auckland.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT WHITELOW, of Kamo, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 6th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Auckland.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES HOLMES SEWELL and HILARY BERNARD GORMLEY, both of Auckland, trading as "Sewell and Gormley," Indent Agents, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 16th day of March, 1914, at 11 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES CHARLES MOREY and FRANCIS MOORE, of New Plymouth, Drapers, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

New Plymouth, 4th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of JOHN VICTOR McDONALD, of Hastings, Watchmaker, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend of 4s. in the pound is now payable at my office, Napier, on all proved and accepted claims. Promissory notes must be produced for endorsement.

E. B. BURDEKIN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Napier, 7th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID BENNIE, of Aramoho, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 11th day of March, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 2nd March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES LOCK, of Brunswick, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 11th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 2nd March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED JEFFREY, of Karioi, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Taihape, on Friday, the 13th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 2nd March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARCHIBALD REID, of Tokomaru, labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 2nd March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARCHIBALD KING CAMPBELL, of Eketahuna, Photographer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Court House, Eketahuna, on Friday, the 13th day of March, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock, p.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 4th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the under-mentioned estates are now payable at this office (10 a.m. to 4 p.m.) on all proved claims and upon production of promissory notes (if any) for endorsement:—

Castendyk, C.: First and final, of 1s. 2½d. in the pound.
Schapiro, J. M.: First and final, of 4½d. in the pound.

A. SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends on all proved and admitted claims in the undermentioned estates are now payable at my office, Tainui Street, Greymouth. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends.

Bull, Rosina, of Greymouth, Draper: Second and final dividend, of 1s. 2d. in the pound.

Cressey, George, of Ahaura, Storekeeper: Second and final dividend, of 9d. in the pound.

Dunn, Arthur John Hazzard, of Ahaura, retired Publican: First dividend, of 16s. in the pound.

Lord, Lloyd Lovekin, of Greymouth, Picture-proprietor: First dividend, of 6d. in the pound.

Nees, Louis, of Greymouth, Cycle-dealer: Second and final dividend, of 4d. in the pound.

C. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Greymouth, 4th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of DAVID BROCKLEHURST, late of Hauhau Road, Hokitika, deceased, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend of 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Hokitika, on all proved and accepted claims.

WM. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hokitika, 6th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE HESSELL BURT, of Christchurch, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Public Trust Buildings, 96 Gloucester Street W., Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m.

GEO. A. SMYTH,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 4th March, 1914.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 13th day of April, 1914.

5067. MARTHA DALZEL SHAW.—Part of Waihi No. 5 Block, situated in Block III, Waihi North Survey District, containing 85 acres and 7.7 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 6714.

5147. GEORGE ARTHUR GRIBBIN and STEPHEN GILBERT ROUNTREE.—Lot 31 of Allotment 17, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 11.9 perches (situated in New Street). Occupied by Hercules Newton. Plan 7165.

5365. JOHN JAMES GRAHAM.—Parts Allotments 28 and 39, Suburban Section 2, Parish of Pukekohe, containing 8 acres 2 roods 24 perches. Occupied by William George Abbott. Plan 8979.

5553. JOHN PRESS.—Catherine Hadfield's Grant and part of Henry Williams's Grant in the Parish of Kawakawa, containing 828 acres and 27 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8625.

5625. JAMES FALCONER LAWRIE.—Parts Allotments 40 and 102, Parish of Mahurangi, containing 118 acres 1 rood 1 perch. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8859.

5655. JOHN ADKINS.—Part of Henry Williams's Grant in the Parish of Kawakawa, containing 362 acres and 13 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8544.

5656. EDMUND FRANCIS SMITH.—Part of Clendon's Grant in the Parish of Papakura, containing 56 acres and 35 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 9031.

5706. THOMAS BICKERTON DAVIES.—Allotments 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 117, 118, 123, 124, 125, 134, and 135, Parish of Manurewa, containing 58 acres 2 roods 11.5 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8814.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 13th day of April, 1914.

Application 4628 (Plan, provisional, 1336). JOHN CHRISTIAN MEYER (THE YOUNGER).—650 acres 1 rood 12.6 perches, parts of Sections 44, 47, 48, 65, and 66, Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve, and part Block XI, Rangitikei Block. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

11913. ALEXIS FRANCOIS MENAND.—19 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 40, Borough of Lyttelton. Occupied by Charles Durham.

11932. FREDERICK KNOWLES, JAMES HENRY KNOWLES, and ELIZA ANN MIDDLETON.—39 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 1545, Block IX, Teviotdale Survey District. Occupied by William Boyce.

11949. GEORGE HENRY MOODY.—1 rood 1 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 243B, St. Albans Ward, of the City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

11950. JOSEPH HENRY REYNOLDS.—1 rood 8 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 72, Sydenham Ward, of the City of Christchurch. Occupied by a tenant.

11959. FREDERICK WILLIAM OETGEN.—21 acres and 39 perches, Rural Section 5538 and part of Rural Sections 6624 and 7306, Blocks V and IX, of the Halswell Survey District. Occupied by Frederick Hubbard.

11967. ARTHUR DUNCAN SMITH.—19 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 252, St. Albans Ward, of the City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.**NOTICE UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.**

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (3), of the above Act, that the undermentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, and unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and dissolved.

The Chatto Creek Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
1906/5.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies, at Dunedin, this 9th day of March, 1914.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.**

In the matter of the Trustee Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908; and in the matter of the estate of George Tuckwell, formerly of Wellington, in the Dominion of New Zealand, but latterly of Sydney and Cobar, in the State of New South Wales, in the Commonwealth of Australia, Labourer, deceased.

PURSUANT to an order made by His Honour Mr. Justice Cooper, under section 74 of the Trustee Act, 1908, on the 2nd day of August, 1913, in the matter of the above estate, all creditors and others (including therein those claiming as next-of-kin of the said George Tuckwell) having claims against the estate of the said deceased are required to send in their claims to the Public Trustee, Wellington, New Zealand, on or before the 31st May, 1914; and in default of any such claims the Public Trustee will on the last-mentioned date

proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated at Wellington, New Zealand, this 2nd day of August, 1913.

J. W. MACDONALD,
Solicitor to the Public Trust Office.

NOTE.—The said George Tuckwell was by an order of the said Court on the 23rd March, 1911, presumed to be dead. He was a native of Wellington, and left to reside in New South Wales. Claimants must forward full particulars of the parents of the said George Tuckwell, his brothers and sisters, the date of his birth, and a resume of his life, which information will be checked with the true facts in the possession of the Public Trust Office. 678

In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Tyser Line (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the foreign company known as the Tyser Line (Limited) will voluntarily cease to carry on business in New Zealand on the thirty-first day of May next, being a day more than three calendar months subsequent to the day whereon this notice will in due course be first gazetted—that is, the twenty-sixth day of February instant. And notice is hereby further given that until the thirty-first day of May next, and on that day, legal process and other documents may be served on the undersigned, as attorney for the said company.

Dated at the company's offices, in Emerson Street, Napier, this 21st day of February, 1914.

RICHARD TODD,
Attorney for the Tyser Line (Limited).

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of F. A. Henriques (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that F. A. HENRIQUES (Limited), a company duly incorporated in the State of New South Wales, intends to commence business in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business in New Zealand where legal processes of any kind may be served upon it and to which notices of any kind may be addressed are situate at No. 47 Hall of Commerce, High Street, in the City of Auckland.

Dated the 23rd day of February, 1914.

L. C. F. VINCENT,
Attorney for F. A. Henriques (Limited).

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the situation and locality of the office or place of business of THE BRISTOL AND DOMINIONS PRODUCERS' ASSOCIATION (LIMITED) is at No. 113 Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1914. 277

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

THE Totara Leather Company (Limited), a company incorporated in England, hereby gives notice that the office of the company in New Zealand, where legal notice of any kind may be served on the company, is situate at Karamu, Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1914.

For and on behalf of the Totara Leather Company (Limited).

C. D. LIGHTBAND,
Attorney for the Totara Leather Company
(Limited).

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BACON'S AERATED WATER COMPANY (LIMITED).

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of the plant, stock, machinery, and goodwill of the above company.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned, where tenders close at noon on Friday, the 20th March, 1914.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ERNEST C. LEVVEY,
Solicitor for Receiver,
256 Lambton Quay, Wellington.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Swastika Gold-mines (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at Wellington on the 16th day of February, 1914, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at Wellington on the 4th day of March, 1914, the same was duly confirmed, viz. :—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at such last-mentioned meeting JOSIAH LUSH, of Wellington, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding-up.

JOHN KEIR,
Chairman.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Akitio Sawmilling Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of members of the above company held at Dannevirke on the 12th day of February, 1914, the following special resolution was duly carried, and was duly confirmed at a subsequent duly convened extraordinary general meeting of the members held on the 5th day of March, 1914, at Dannevirke :—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily.”

At the latter meeting WALTER GEORGE NEVILLE, of Akitio, Accountant, was appointed the Liquidator of the company.

Dated at Dannevirke this 7th day of March, 1914.

FRANCIS ARMSTRONG,
Chairman of Directors and of the said Meetings.

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THE BELL ORCHARDS (LIMITED), NELSON.

NOTICE is hereby given of the following special resolution passed at a general meeting held at the registered office on the 7th February, and confirmed at an extraordinary general meeting on the 23rd February, 1914.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

“That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Messrs. NORMAN ALEXANDER MCLAREN and JOHN ERNEST MILNER be appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up.” 285

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between FRANCIS GEORGE O'BEIRNE, of Invercargill, Solicitor, and GERALD PERCY KEDDELL, of Otautau, Solicitor, carrying on the business of Barristers and Solicitors at Invercargill and at Otautau under the style or firm of “O'Beirne & Keddell,” has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 28th day of February, 1914. The business at Invercargill will be carried on by the said FRANCIS GEORGE O'BEIRNE, and the business at Otautau will be carried on by the said GERALD PERCY KEDDELL.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1914.

FRANCIS G. O'BEIRNE.
G. P. KEDDELL.

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THE Partnership hitherto existing between REGINALD HERBERT WEBB and TREVOR NOEL HOLMDEN, Barristers and Solicitors, Wellington, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 14th day of February, 1914.

Mr. HOLMDEN will practice in Auckland, and Mr. WEBB will continue the business hitherto carried on by the late firms of Hamerton, Andrew, & Webb and Webb & Holmden.

R. HERBERT WEBB.
TREVOR HOLMDEN.

Wellington, 14th February, 1914. 287

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business hitherto carried on under the style of “Bickerton & Co.,” of Raurimu, was dissolved by consent on the first of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

D. M. BICKERTON.
C. PHIL SMITH.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I HENRY CROLY, Bach. Med. Univ. Dub. 1891, Bach. Surg. Univ. Dub. 1891, Lic. Mid. Rotunda Hosp. Dub. 1891, Doc. of Med. Univ. Dub. 1895, now residing in Palmerston North, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 6th April, 1914, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Auckland.

HENRY CROLY.

Dated at Auckland, 6th March, 1914.

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THE CARRICK GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

To the Registrar of Companies, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that at extraordinary general meetings of the above company duly convened and held respectively on the 12th day of February, 1914, and the 4th day of March, 1914, at Wanganui, the subjoined special resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

- (1.) That it is desirable to reconstruct the company, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. R. DUNKLEY, Accountant, of Wicksteed Place, Wanganui, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.
- (2.) That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new company, to be named "The Carrick Gold-mining Company (Limited)," with a memorandum of association which has already been prepared with the privity and approval of the directors of this company.
- (3.) That the draft agreement submitted to this meeting and expressed to be made between this company and its Liquidator, of the one part, and the Carrick Gold-mining Company (Limited), of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved; and that the said Liquidator be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 259 of the Companies Act, 1908, to enter into an agreement with such new company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any), modifications as they think expedient.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1914.

THOMAS HINE,

Chairman.

Witness to signature—W. Neilson, Accountant, Wanganui.

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PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of eight hundred pounds (£800), authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the completing of the construction and improvement, including the forming, grading, metalling, bridging, and culverting of roads in the Waitoa Riding of the County of Piako, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the Waitoa Riding of the said County of Piako; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Te Aroha, this 18th day of February, 1914.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Piako was hereto affixed in the presence of—

CHARLES MANUEL,

Chairman.

W. H. MILLIKEN,

Councillor.

J. B. THOMAS,

Councillor.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the attached resolution making a special rate was duly passed at a meeting of the Piako County Council held on Wednesday, the 18th day of February, 1914.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

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PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of seven hundred pounds (£700), authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the completing of the constructing and improving, including the forming, grading, metalling, bridging, and culverting of roads in the Walton Riding of the County of Piako, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property within the Walton Riding of the County of Piako; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Te Aroha, this 18th day of February, 1914.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Piako was hereto affixed in the presence of—

CHARLES MANUEL,

Chairman.

WILLIAM P. CHEPMELL,

W. H. MILLIKEN,

Councillors.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the attached resolution making a special rate was duly passed at a meeting of the Piako County Council held on Wednesday, the 18th day of February, 1914.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

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PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of nine hundred pounds (£900), authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the completing the construction and improvement, including the forming, grading, metalling, bridging, and culverting of roads in the Morrinsville Riding of the County of Piako, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the Morrinsville Riding of the County of Piako; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being for a period of 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Te Aroha, this 18th day of February, 1914.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Piako was hereto affixed in the presence of—

CHARLES MANUEL, †

Chairman.

WILLIAM P. CHEPMELL,

J. B. THOMAS,

Councillors.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the attached resolution making a special rate was duly passed at a meeting of the Piako County Council held on Wednesday, the 18th day of February, 1914.

R. S. HANNA,

County Clerk.

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PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of nine hundred pounds (£900), authorized

to be raised by the Piako County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the completion and improvements, including the forming, grading, metalling, bridging, and culverting of roads in the Waihou Riding of the County of Piako, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4d. in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property within the Waihou Riding of the County of Piako; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Te Aroha, this 18th day of February, 1914.
The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Piako was hereto affixed in the presence of—

CHARLES MANUEL,
Chairman.
W. H. MILLIKEN,
WILLIAM P. CHEPMELL,
Councillors.
R. S. HANNA,
County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the attached resolution making a special rate was duly passed at a meeting of the Piako County Council held on Wednesday, the 18th day of February, 1914.

R. S. HANNA,
County Clerk.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited), a company incorporated in Great Britain, proposes to commence and carry on business in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon the company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered is at Shortland Street, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this 5th day of March, 1914.
RUSSELL AND CAMPBELL,
Solicitors for the Company.

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WAIMEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF RESULT OF POLL ON LOAN PROPOSAL.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1908, and of the Local Bodies' Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same respectively.

HEREBY give notice that on the 25th day of February, 1914, a proposal was submitted by the Waimea County Council to the ratepayers of the Stoke Waterworks Reserve Special-rating Area for raising a special loan of £800 for the purpose of purchasing land for waterworks reserve at Stoke; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal were as follows: For, 37; against, 3.

I therefore declare the said proposal to be carried.
HORATIO EVERETT,
Chairman, Waimea County Council.
28th February, 1914. 296

BOROUGH OF RANGIORA.

POLL ON PROPOSAL TO ADOPT SYSTEM OF RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES.

PURSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Rangiora taken on the second day of March, 1914, on the proposal that the system of rating in the said borough be on the unimproved value, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 215; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 160.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 6th day of March, 1914.
JOHN SANSOM,
Mayor.

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[THE PUKEKOHE MILK SUPPLY COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary meeting of shareholders of the Pukekohe Milk Supply Company (Limited) held on the 2nd March, 1914, in the Empire Buildings, Swanson Street, an extraordinary resolution was carried:—

“That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the company be wound up voluntarily.”

And a further resolution:—
“That GEORGE EWELL BISSET be appointed Liquidator of the company for the purpose of such winding-up.”

G. E. BISSET,
Liquidator.

2nd March, 1914.

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WAITEMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waitemata County Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow the sum of £11,855 for the purpose of road-construction and metalling, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has finally granted the application for such loan, at the rate of 3½ per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance part of such loan—namely, £8,855—at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Waitemata County Council hereby resolves—That, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such loan—namely, £8,855—the said Waitemata County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Waipareira Riding of the County of Waitemata, such area being a legal subdivision; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such part of such loan, and be made payable half-yearly on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each and every year during the currency of such part of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until such part of such loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution of the above-named Council passed at a special meeting held on the 11th day of February, 1914.

C. A. CAWKWELL,
County Clerk.

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HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Hamilton taken on the 26th February, 1914, on the proposal of the Hamilton Borough Council to borrow the sum of £11,000 for the purpose of making and constructing drainage-works in that portion of the Borough of Hamilton, in the Town of Hamilton West, which is situated to the north of the Frankton-Morrinsville Railway, including the purchase of all necessary land and materials, £11,000.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was . . . 121
The number of votes recorded against the proposal was . . . 92
Informal 2

Total number of votes recorded 215

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 27th day of February, 1914.

A. E. MANNING,
Mayor.

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HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Hamilton taken on the proposal of the Hamilton Borough Council to borrow the sum

of £5,500 for the purpose of making additions and extensions to the Hamilton gasworks, and to purchase and lay additional mains and meters, and to erect and fit offices.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was .. 146
 The number of votes recorded against the proposal was .. 67
 Informal 2

Total number of votes recorded 215

I hereby declare that the proposal was carried.
 Dated this 27th day of February, 1914.

A. E. MANNING,
 Mayor.

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HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION BY WAY OF SPECIAL ORDER.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hamilton Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,500, authorized to be raised by the Hamilton Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of making additions and extensions to the Hamilton gasworks, and to purchase and lay additional mains and meters, and to erect and fit offices, the said Hamilton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Hamilton, comprising the whole of the Borough of Hamilton; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify that the above is a copy of the resolution passed at a meeting of the Hamilton Borough Council held on Friday, 27th February, 1914.

E. J. DAVEY,
 Town Clerk.

Hamilton, 3rd March, 1914.

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HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hamilton Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £11,000, authorized to be raised by the Hamilton Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of making and constructing drainage-works in that portion of the Borough of Hamilton, in the Town of Hamilton West, which is situated to the north of the Frankton-Morrinsville Railway, including the purchase of all necessary land and materials, the said Hamilton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of the Borough of Hamilton, comprising the whole of the Borough of Hamilton; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify that the above is a copy of the resolution passed at a meeting of the Hamilton Borough Council held on Friday, 27th February, 1914.

E. J. DAVEY,
 Town Clerk.

Hamilton, 3rd March, 1914.

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TAIHAPE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments; and of the taking under the said Act of certain lands within or near the Borough of Taihape.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Borough of Taihape proposes, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to take certain lands described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes named therein.

And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of

the Town Clerk to the said Council, in the Town Hall, Hautapu Street, in the said borough, and is there open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the taking of such lands should, if they have well-grounded objections to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Taihape Borough Council, addressed to the Town Clerk at his said office.

Schedule.

Approximate Area of Land to be taken.	Being Part of	Coloured in Plan	Situate in	Purpose
A. R. P. 1 2 38	Section 41, Block XIV, Ohinewairua Survey District	Pink	Borough of Taihape	Road.
0 2 17.6	Sections 38 & 40, Block XIV, Ohinewairua S.D.	Pink	Taihape Borough	Power-house.
1 1 0	Scenery & recreation reserve. No. 42, Block XIV, Ohinewairua S.D.	Pink	Borough of Taihape	Septic tank.

As witness my hand, at Taihape, this 9th day of March 1914.

H. M. TANSLEY,
 Acting Town Clerk.

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THE AWAKINO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Awakino County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £800, authorized to be raised by the Awakino County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for forming and metalling the Waipaua Road from its junction with the Keritehere Road to its junction with the Marokopa River Road, the said Awakino County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-eighths ($\frac{5}{8}$ d.) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Waipaua Special-rating District, comprising the following sections: Sections 1, 2, 2A, 2B, 5, Block VI, Marokopa; 1, 2, 3, 3A, 4, 5, 5A, Block I, Whareorino; 1, 2, 3, 4, 4A, 5, 6, 6A, 7, 7A, 7B, 7C, 7D, 8, 9, 10, 10A, Block II, Whareorino; 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, CL, Block V, Whareorino; 1A, Block VIII, Whareorino; Section 6, Block I, Maungamangiro; and H Section 1, H Section 2B No. 2B (part), H Section 2B No. 2D, H Section 2B No. 2E 2, P Section 2A, P Section 2B No. 1, P Section 2B No. 2, P Section 2B No. 4, Kinohaku West: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above resolution was passed at a meeting of the Awakino County Council held on the 7th day of March, 1914.

GEO. BROWN,
 County Clerk.

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DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE OF 4D. IN THE POUND AS A SECURITY FOR A LOAN OF £150,000 TO BE RAISED BY THE DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL UNDER THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS ACT, 1913.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Dunedin City Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the principal, interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a special loan of £150,000, authorized to be raised by the Dunedin City Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purposes of the Waipori Falls Electrical Works, belonging to the Dunedin City Corporation, and in particular for the construction and erection of that portion of the plant at the said works known as "The Triplication Plant," and for providing and erecting a "stand-by" plant in the City of Dunedin, and for making other extensions of the said works, the Dunedin City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4d. in the pound

upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the City of Dunedin; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of June and the first day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years from the first (1st) day of January, 1914, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Dunedin City Council on 9th March, 1914.

Dated at Dunedin the 10th day of March, 1914.

G. A. LEWIN,
Town Clerk.

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